

LETTERS RECEIVED

1858-59

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My dear Sir,

I write this in
consequence of a conversation
with Mr. H. - but don't see
how you find (as he thinks)
it has already (C. J. in
the C. Act about the certifying
of [unclear]) especially [unclear]
I ask you.
My [unclear] [unclear]
Yours truly
K. A. [unclear]

No. 1352

From

the Director of Public Instruction

to

Mr. C. Lodge

Principal of the High School
East William

June 1898

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst.

in relation to the

admission of

White

yourself in the

which have not fully

Examination should be

same footing with

so, I am of opinion that

strong testimony and

their favor such a

given to them as will

of the old College

the same time be in accor-

ding with the records

of the

Yours truly,
C. Lodge

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Wm Phelps

My dear Mother & Sister,
Pray are you prepared
to pay a Rent of the House
I lease of you for last month
now? If so you will have
the goodness to send a Cheque
to us instead of to the same
whose joint hand as per Regis
have ceased from the 1st of this
month. You wish of a course
I should be the credit for the
instructions.

Wm Phelps
Paris College

Wm Phelps
London

To

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E. Lodge Esq^r

Off^r of the Presidency Coll^y

Sir,

Since the publication of the

Senate's letter, substantially to the University

B. L. examination of the

examination of 3rd Year students,

those who entered for the

have succeeded; some

letter being published

graciously

the rule has been in his letter, and has 7

and the report of the committee that all

students who are to be sent worthy of a

scholarship from the Law

College, at the close of

shall be furnished with

respective of the Union

education, - also, that

qualify, according to

government employ or

Washburne rather in

Cloze.

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It may be suggested that, under
the circumstances, it is not well to
pass an examination - ... month
hence - upon the subjects of the year
(last session), and to pay the fees required
as well as to attend the course, but
permitted to do so, subject to the
failure to pass the examination
degradation to a lower rank.

I have the honor to be
Dear Sir,

P. O. pr

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Since my trouble you will see
contains a list of names
and is accompanied by a wrong
part of the paper by name
The Christian tells me
that the boy who
wrote and these being
the same name, it
is hard to have him out,
but I will do my best
to get enough to acknowledge
it.

I have the receipt for
which you will be
the signature of the
the letter.
I have the document
I have the name of the
I have the name of the
I have the name of the

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N^o 102

From,
The Director of Public Instruction,
To,

E. Lodge Esq^r M. A.
Officiating Principal, Presidency College,
Dated Fort William the 9th June 1868.

Sir,

In reply to your letter, post
dated 5th Instant, I have the honor to
say that I see no objection to the proposed
alterations, except, perhaps, in the
one which makes a provision of division
of the Law Class. It appears to me that
it will be more convenient, more in
harmony with the system in force in
other Collegiate Establishments, and more
intelligible to persons not conversant with
the Education Department, if the
Law Students are divided into two classes,
corresponding with the Law and
M.A. classes, rather than making a
division of the Law Class.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
The Director of Public Instruction

From
The Director of Public Instruction

To,
E. Lodge Esq. B.A.
Offg. Principal Presidency College,
Fort William Dated 16 June 1858

Sir,

With reference to the Abstract
Accounts Current of the College and its two
Schools for the Quarter ending with the 31st
April 1858, I have the honor to recommend
you that the balance from previous Quarters
of the current year, not only the balance
of the last Quarter, should be added to the
credit side of ^{the} Accounts.

I request that in future the pres-
cribed form may be more fully followed.

I am,
Yours truly,
Wm. G. ...
Director of P. I.

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From,
The Director of Public Instruction,

To,
E. Lodge Esq. B. A.
offy Principal Presidency College,
Fort William Dated 19 June 1868

Sir

With reference to the
Circular of this office st. 7 dated 19th
September 1866 I have the honor to
return the applications which accompanied
your office endorsement st. 90 and 91 dated 11th
and 92 dated 12th Instant, and to advise that
unless you desire to make some distinct
recommendation or proposal in regard to such
applications you should refrain from
sending them to this office.

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Appendix B to General
Report for 1866/67.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient
servant
J. F. ...
Director of Public Instruction

1927

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From

The Junior Secretary to the
Government of Bengal.

To,

The Director of Public Instruction,
Dated Fort William, 31 May 1858.

Sir,

General

I am directed to forward to you a copy of a letter from J. Muir Esq. dated the 22nd March last, together with a copy of the work therein referred to, entitled Sanskrit Treatise on the origin and progress of the "Religion and Institutions of India - Part I on Caste"; and to request that you will be so good as to report for the information of the Lieutenant Governor whether the work would be of any use in the Government Colleges and Schools in the Province.

You are requested to return the Book with your reply.

Yours faithfully,
J. B. Buckle
Junior Secy to the Govt of Bengal

N^o 1505

Circular
together with a copy of the work referred to
thereon

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The above forwarded to the City Principal
President of the College of the City of New York
that he has received the same with his reply

For William
Thompson

Wm Thompson

Director of Public Instruction

From,
The Director of Public Instruction,
To,

A. Smith Esq^r M. A.
Off. Principal Berhampore College
Fort William (Dated 19th June 1825)

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the
dated 16th Instant I have the honor to acknowledge
the transfer to the Presidency College of the first
year students of the Berhampore College -
* Kabi Mohun Choudry named in the margin, they are
* Saroda Bhusun Choudry permitted to carry their Senior
Scholarships of Rupees (20) twenty a month
with them and to hold them off the remainder
of the Session.

I have the honor to be,
Sir, your obedient servant,
The Director of Public Instruction

N^o 1526

Copy forwarded to the officiating Principal
Presidency College for information and guidance

For the Director of Public Instruction

From

The Director of Public Instruction
To

L. Clint Esq.
Principal Kishinaghar College,
Tottilliam dated 23rd June 1858

Sir,

In reply to your letter N. 87 dated 6th Instant, I have the honor to say that by the Bill proposed in my circular dated the 2nd Instant it was intended that students transferred would be provisions and to suit the convenience of Government from one College to another should be in the same position as to payments as before from payments as they were in before the transfer and consequently that scholars should not pay any fee in the College to which they will be transferred.

I am Sir
Your obedient servant
Director of Public Instruction

N. 1340

(Circular)

Copy forwarded to the office of the Principal
Presiding College for information

Tottilliam
23rd June 1858

Wm. Young

Director of Public Instruction

No. 3039.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 21st May 1858.

Extract from a Despatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors, addressed to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 27 of 1858, dated the 6th April.

Para 1. The salary of the Professor of Law and Jurisprudence, in the Presidency College, is Rupees 400 per month. The last occupant of the Office was a Native, but an European (Mr. Theobald) had previously filled it. It appears that another European (Mr. Montriou) has now been appointed Professor, and the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal remarks that unless a salary of Rupees 700 per month be granted, there is no probability of getting any efficient person to retain the office. We presume the Lieut.-Governor means that the services of no efficient person, being an European can be secured on the lower salary. We see no necessity, however, for exact equality in the salaries of the Professors.

2. We authorize you to pay a salary of Rupees 500 per month, and House Rent of Rupees 100 per month, to the Professor of Law from the date of Mr. Montriou's appointment to the office.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Paras. be sent to the Home Department for information, and for communication to the Government of Bengal, with reference to the papers noted in the margin.

Ordered also, that a copy of the same Paras. be communicated to the Civil Auditor, for his information and guidance.

(A true Extract)

(Signed) C. H. LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

A 1617.
Copy forwarded to the Government of Bengal.

HOME DEPARTMENT,
The 8th June 1858. }

By Order,

J. P. B. Chapman

Under Secretary to the Government of India.

*(True Copy)
By J. Jones,
Registrar Bengal Department.
A 1586*

Copy forwarded to the officiating Principal Secretary, in continuation of the order in Council of the 21st May 1858, for the purpose of being put out for communication to the Government of Bengal.

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From
The Junior Secretary to the Government

To
The Director of Public Instruction
Date Fort William, the 24th June 1841

General
Education

Sir,
With reference to the office memorandum
No. 500 dated the 28th October last, I am directed by
the Lieutenant Governor to transmit for your in-
formation and for communication to Mr. Ker
No. 500 dated the 28th October last, an extract from the Proceedings of the
President in Council, commencing in a report
from a Dispatch from the Honble the Chief
Directors. Sanctioning the grant of Rs. 500 per
month and Rs. 400 per month to the Professor of Law in the
College, from the date of Mr. Ker's appointment
to the Office.

I am, Sir,
Yours faithfully,
J. J. Ker
Contract

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From,
The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

C. Lodge Esq: B.A.

off: Principal Presidency College,

Fort William Dated 30 June 1865.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 23rd Instant I have the honor to sanction the entertainment of a feeble student in the Colootollah Manual School on a salary of Rupees (20) per month debitable to the surplus fees of the School. I also sanction the raising of the fee of the School to the rate amounting to Rs. 84 per annum being also debitable to the surplus fees of the Institution.

I have the honor to be

Your most obed^t Servant

Wm. G. G. G.

Director of Public Instruction

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From,
The Directors of the Institution
To,

S. W. Bradbury Esq.
Head Master & Tutor
St. Nicholas College
Duke of Wellington, the 1st July

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 28th ultimo I have the honor to direct the transfer to the Board of all the third year students of the college in connection with the scholarship fund, and the non-payment of fees now upon, and to discontinue the third year classes in that department for the present session in accordance with the orders.

2 You will be required to furnish me with the names of the third year students who have to be sent away to college immediately.

Yours faithfully,
The Directors

No 11592/2

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Copies forwarded to the
Residing Principal Presidency
College for information.

W. Williams

London

1st July 1858

Director of Public Works

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From,
The Director of Public Instruction,
To

A. Smith Esq. M. A.

Officiating Principal Perhampore College

Perhampore, the 1st July 1853.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 28th ult.
I have the honor to direct the
transfer to the Presidency College of
all the third year Students of the
Perhampore College on the same
footing as to Scholars and the
payment or non-payment of fees
as they are now upon, and to direct
-ize you to discontinue the third
and fourth year Classes in that
Institution for the present, upon
until further orders.

2^d You will be so good as to fur-
-nish me with the names of the third
year Students who are transfer to
the Presidency College in now trans-
-ferred.

I have &c

J. G. G. G. G.

J. G. G. G. G.

No 1593/2

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Copy forwarded to the
Officiating Principal Presidency
College for information.

Wm. ...
1838) Director of Public Schools

From

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The Off. Head Master
In Charge of
Berkhampton College

To
The Off. Principal
The Presidency College

Berkhampton 1st July 1857

For the bearer of this letter is
Kali Mohan Choudry, who by the
Director's letter No. 1554. 19 June 1857
has been permitted to carry home
scholarship of Rs 200 per month
with him to the Presidency College
& let it here for the
the session. He was

your student of the College. 26
I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obed^t servant
Philip Hutton
College St. Coll.

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The off^d Printed
of the Academy Colley

No 622

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To E Lady Esq
off Municipal
Museum College

In
I reply to your letter
10.1.7 the 26th June I mean the
house to improve for that of the
householders will make an addition
to a magazine they can have
the museum completed of
knowing

See
of the

from the house
in
your most obedt servt
James

Collector

1865 29

From,
The Director of Public Instruction
at
S. W. Bradbury Esq.
Head. Master Incharge of the
Highway College
Dated Fort William, the 2 July 1865

Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your communication
dated 28th Instant referring for orders an
application for College Certificates prepared
by certain third year Students transferred
to the Presidency College

2 In reply I have to inform you that
the intension of the Rules of the Board
last is that Certificates are to be issued
only to Students who have left college for
good, not to those who are merely trans-
ferred from one college to another. It will
however be proper for you, when sending
to the Principal of the Presidency College
the Descriptive Roll of these Students,
a document which should of course
ways be furnished on occasions of such
transfers to supply that of the

with such information in regard to the
character of the students
shall enable him to furnish them
with the usual certificates on their
completing their College course:-

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I have &c
J. H. Gordon Young
Director of Public Inst^{ns}

(Circular)

has been forwarded to the
Principal Presidency College
for information and guidance -

Yours faithfully

J. H. Gordon Young
Director of Public Inst^{ns}

No. 677

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From The Inspector of Schools
East Bengal

To The Principal of the
Presidency College

Dated Fort William the 3rd July

Sir,

In accordance with the orders of the
Government of Bengal communicated by
Letter No. 380 Dated 27th August 1857 to the
Director of Public Instruction it is
the honor to inform you that the
Rajkumar Ancharjee and the
Ghose of the Burra Angla have
have been awarded with Free Scholar-
ships tenable for 2 years in the Calcutta
Branch School.

I have the honor to be

Your most Obedient servant

The bearer of this Chunder. Tau H. Whose
has been awarded with a Free Scholarship
for 2 Two Years at the Colostollah Branch
School agreeably to the orders of the Govern-
ment of Bengal N: 330 Dated 27th
August 1857.

Fort Williams The }
3rd July 1858 }

A Woodrow
Inspector of Schools

The bearer of this Raj Coomra
 has been awarded with a
 -ship for 2 two years at the
 Branch School agreeable to
 of the Government of Bengal
 27th August 1837.

Fort William
 The 3rd July 1837

A. ...
 Inspector of Schools

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From,

The Director of Public Instruction,

To

E. Lodge Esq. R. S.

Officiating Principal Presidency College,

Patala Fort, William the Third, 1835.

Sir,

In reply to your endorsement
No 100 dated 26th ultimo I regret
to say that I am unable to comply
with the application of Shri
Mohan Dass Goopth as in my
opinion, it would create an un-
convenient precedent which would
be productive of much trouble if
ever Artificers were to be supplied
fresh ones were to be supplied.

I have the honor to be

Yours most obed^t servant

J. D. [Signature]
Director of Public Instruction

To

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E. Lodge Esq^r

Off^r Principal, Presidency College

Sir,

I am in receipt of the Extract
from the Despatch of the Honble the Board of
Directors, forwarded, through you, to me by the
Directors of Public Instruction

I have been further acquainted
by you, that the Civil Auditor, from my salary
towards the refund of the Honble Board's
Despatch, and the proceeding consequences
two considerations, viz. one in respect
myself, the other the public interest
by it. The least important
it is necessary that I should be

In the official interview

with the Honble Board of Public Instruction

and so on

and arranged, that I should accept the
 professorship, much discussion took place
 -line to the duties and requirements of the office,
 and law education generally; and much was
 stipulated on both sides. What I then understood
 I venture to believe that the Honble the Lt.
 Governor, as well as the Directors, will admit that
 I have performed. - Among other matters &
 preliminaries discussed, the Directors did not
 for a moment suggest that the ultimate confirmation
 of my appointment should be entrusted with the Honble Council.
 I, I am sure, recollect the
 which I met his suggestion
 of course, the continuance
 upon that confirmation, but
 it on the distinct understanding
 might happen, my salary
 should be £700.

was quite out of the question.

I was accordingly appointed on a salary of Rs. 700, subject to the sanction of the Honble Court.

Sometime after I had taken charge of the office, I was verbally informed, by the Principal of the College, of the Resolution of His Lordship the Governor General in Council, approving of my appointment, with however the qualification appended, that its confirmation and the salary must entirely depend on the Honble Court. My reply to the latter was, that if the salary was reduced, I should resign, that, as long as I held the office, I was secure of the same salary and that I had expressly stipulated against a reduction.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant

Wm. B. ...

proposal I have now to make.

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Although Mr. Young has not accompanied the unclassified despatch with any reference to or assurance of return of the money deducted by the civil Auditor, I have for a moment doubt, that he will readily recall the basis understanding upon which I accepted office and will recognise the obvious impropriety of my undertaking such onerous duties and obligations as belonged to the

position in a contingency that (as might have happened) the labour, I should

have to perform would be Rs. 700-0-0 or Rs. 3000, by the

Board of Directors to the Government, as well as constitution of the office.

I have also to contemplate, that the Government will not be disposed to

allow the Government to pay to the Government the money which will be paid to

the Government for the services of the Government.

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Professors. Confidently assuming therefore
that immediate receipt of the salary
deducted will be made to me, I do, in the
expectation, cheerfully agree to return the
professorship on the footing upon which it is
now put by the Honble Council, with a salary
of R^o 600 from June inclusive. I shall consider
myself bound to the same rule as my
predecessors named by the Council, and
in whose shoes individually I shall
be standing. It will be
upon some specific branch
Jurisprudence, English
The enlarged sphere of the
no longer to exist, nor indeed
its really altered character
as high as held carried by
or put left for some other
instance of the same

and have distinct, not subordinate, duties.

Upon these details, I shall further
communicate with you.

The Honble Courts' Despatch
itself (which, with all respect be it said,
is obviously full of misconceptions of actual
occurrences) I shall do myself the honor
to address you fully upon.

In conclusion, I beg to assure
that my willingness to retain the office
of a 2nd class professor
is entirely from my having been
selected by the Right Honble the Governor
General for Mr. Cowie, and my
perception, that His Lordship was, in some
degree, influenced, in his complimentary &
preference of me, by the presumed
value of my labours as Law Professor.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your very obed^t servant

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From Mr. Gerritt Rogers
Offg. Dy Post-Master Genl.

To
The Offg. Principal
Presidency, Calcutta,
Govt. Post Office.

The 7th July 1849

Sir,
With reference to your letter of the 29th dated 11th Ultimo, and the previous correspondence on the subject, I have the honor to request the favor of your acquainting me with the result of your inquiries connected with the letter addressed to Sudonauth...

An early reply is requested.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

J. Rogers
Offg. Dy Post-Master Genl.

1849

Wm. Thompson M. A. of the Third Year of the Washington College, transferred to the Maryland College.

Name	Age	Remarks
William Thompson M. A. of the Third Year of the Washington College	20	This boy has studied in the College Department for the last two years and exhibited himself with great proficiency. He has made good progress in any thing he has undertaken and also in the theoretical part of the last communication he obtained a license to be a teacher of 20 M. which he carries with him to the Maryland College.

William D. Year Student	19	This boy has also studied in the College Department for the last year and exhibited himself with proficiency. He has made good progress in English, Latin and Mathematics.
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Wm. Thompson

Respected by order of the Directors of Public
Instruction to the Principal of the Boston
College

Wash. Acad. College
7th St. N.Y. (1851)

Wm. Brewster
Off. Principal

From
William Grapel Esq

To
C. Lodge Esquire B.A.
Officer in charge of the Prop. College Calcutta

Point de Galle,
Ceylon, the 9th July 1855.

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to forward a Certificate signed by Captain Saunders, Agent to the European and Australian Steam Company, shewing that I leave Ceylon for Suez, en route to Southampton by the "Australasian" Steam which starts this afternoon.

I have further the honor to request that you will be so good as to issue a Certificate to the Director of Public Instruction, and thus to comply with a recommendation made by me in my monthly leave of absence application which applied may date from the 1st of July.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Yours most respectfully,

W Grapel

European & Australasian Steam Company 46

Agents Office

Galle - the 9th July 1858

I certify that W. Grapel Esq. M.A.
is a passenger to Southampton by the vessels of
this Company; and that he leaves Galle
for Suez in the "Australasian" steamer on
this 9th - of July.

W. Saunders

Agent to the Company
in Galle.

1859

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From,

The Director of Public Instruction

To,

A. Smith Esq. M.A.

Officiating Principal, Pembroke College,
Oxford, William the 4th, 1859

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 5th Instant I have the honor to say that as the transfer of the students referred to therein on the same footing with regard to fee payments as at present has been authorized, it seems to follow that they will not have to pay an admission fee at the Presidency College.

I am at present unable to express any objection to their being allowed to join the Law Department at the same terms but I think any point of this kind on which there may be doubt will be more properly referred for orders by the Officiating Principal of the Presidency College after they have joined that Institution.

I have the
Hon. W. Gordon Yarnall
Director of Public Lands

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No. 1696 1/2

Copy forwarded to
the officiating Principal Pres-
ident of the college for information
of this office in
document No. 1598 1/2 dated 1st
instant.

W. Gordon Yarnall

Director of Public Lands

W. Gordon Yarnall
1883

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Extract from an Office Memorandum
dated 9th July 1888 from the Director, Public
Instruction to the Officiating Head Master of the
Chuprah School.

Mr. W. Twentyman former Master of the
Collegiate School but at present officiating Head
Master of the Chuprah School, is informed that
he has been appointed to officiate as Assistant
Professor of Literature in the Presidency College

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viz one third of his own salary
as per the order of the Government
Collegiate School Rs 50/-
for three months Rs 150/-
of Literature - Rs 200/-
House rent - Rs 20/-
Rs 420/-

allowance of Rs 300) than he is entitled
per month.

No 1692
Copy forwarded to the
College for information and
for Mr. William G. ...
The 9th July 1888
Director of Pub. Instruction

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From,
The Director of Public Instruction
To,

C. Lodge Esq. B.A.
Officiating Principal
Presidency College
Fort William 9th July 1850

Sir,

In reply to your Letter at No. 117 dated
the 7th Instant, I have the honor upon your
recommendation to sanction the appointment
of Subu Ramnath Chatterjee to the post
of Headmaster of the Colootollah School which
was sanctioned in my Letter at No. 117 dated
Ultimo.

I have the honor to be,
Your most obedient servant,
W. Fordyce
Director of Public Instruction

Cop. [unclear]
[unclear]

1732

From, The Director of Public Instruction,
Et.

C. Lorge Esq. B. A.
Officiating Principal Drawing College,
Fort William dated 14th July 1831,

Sir,

With reference to your letter
of the 13th Instant with enclosure I have the
honor to request that you will inform me
from what date that officer availed him
self of the leave of absence as a
sanctioned in orders of Government
22nd May last a copy of
my endorsement No. 1010 of

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servant

Wm. Loring
Director of Public Instruction

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To the Office Principal, Presidency College
Sir

The bearers of this letter are,

- Rajkumar Shu
- Rajkash Chandra Shu
- Chandra Mohan Shu

late 3rd year students of this college
who have been mentioned to you in my
letter A 44 dated 15th July 188

I have the honor to be

Sir,
Your most obedt Servt

Prabhanjan
College
The 15th July 188

Prabhanjan
Office Headmaster
In charge

Oct 1791
(Quarter)

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From,

The Director of Public Instruction,

Esq.

C. Large Esq. M.A.
Offr. Principal Presidency College
Fort William sat. 17 Oct 1791

Sir,

I have the honor to request the
favor of your informing me what has been
the rule or practice in your College
regard to the deduction or forfeiture of scholar-
ship stipends on account of absence
(or without leave) of the holder
on the subject you would
observe for the future

I have the honor to be
Dear Sir

Your most Obedt. Servant

Wm. Pitt Rivers

Director of Public Instruction

1756 54

From
The Director of Public Instruction,

to
E. Lodge Esq: B. A.

offy Principal Presidency
Fort William Dated 19th July 1756

Sir,

I have the honor to forward
herewith copy of a petition from Surool
Gopaul Dutt, and to request the favor of
you reporting how it happened that
application to the Principal for the
ship vacated by Kulce Mahomed
was not attended to. It seems probable
that if it had been favorably recommended
to this office at the time, it would have
been no difficulty in granting it although
now, another examination having intervened,
such course seems impossible. Be so good
as to state at the same time whether in
your opinion the last's request to be allowed
free studentship to the end of the present
session may properly be complied with.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servant
Wm. D. Young
Director of Pub. Instruction

[The following text is extremely faint and illegible due to fading and bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

Sir,

W. Gordon Perry Esq
Director of Public Instruction

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. and to state that I passed the Senior Latin of this College in 1867 and was placed in the list of the successful students whose scholarships were made tenable for two years, and three others for one year only.

In the scholarship certificate which was stated regarding the period of study

which I was to complete in the month of July 1868 resigned that very year, and devoted his studies for more than

therefore as his next verbal

Latiff then Principal of the college and scholarship Mr. Latiff

Latiff told me that he was

about of the same nature as the

of the same nature as the

to Mr. Latiff the office of

he told me that he would

and inquire about my case. Whether he

so or not, I am not aware, but at the
reopening of the College, when I again applied 152
to him, he evinced a perfect ignorance of my
case. I petitioned him again and again
but unfortunately he quite neglected my case,
while the petitions of other boys were accepted
and some of them even superseded mine,
for his request for Senior Scholarships
was complied with. I forwarded
another petition to him on the 2^d Instant
but he referred me to the Assistant Secretary
Datta Annonostane Chatterjee. On going
to him, he admitted that my claim was
just and undeniable but as there was no
vacancy he suggested that I should apply
for the same on submitting this to Mr.
Datta Chatterjee to write a fresh petition
for the same. Accordingly I drew up a
petition stating my claims for the scholar-
ship and since there is no vacancy as told
by the Assistant Secretary I begged therein
for free tuition and to be allowed to succeed
to the first scholarship that become vacant.
On showing this to the Principal he wrote
upon it forwarded but not recommended

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without alleging any reason for his not recommending. I beg therefore with due respect and submission that you will be pleased to take my case into your consideration and allow me my just claim to retain my scholarship till the close of the session.

Presidency College
Calcutta
The 13th July 1868.

Vernon
St. Paul's
General Department

(True Copy)

W. G. ...
Director of Pub. ...

S. W. Bradbury Esq
Applicant Principal of the
Shobhaughun College

With due respect and submission
we beg to bring to your notice that as the
third year Class of this College will be
and transferred to the Presidency
in accordance with the order of the
Director of Public Instruction under the
inconvenient for us to join the
College so we beg to request that you
be kind enough to withdraw our names
from the College Roll and grant us
certificates of our ~~class~~
qualifications.

(Signed) S. W. Bradbury

Principal of Shobhaughun

Shobhaughun, P. J. Residents, Shobhaughun
14/10/1858

(True copy)

(Signed) S. W. Bradbury
Applicant Principal of the

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Copies forwarded to the
Appointed Principal Presidency
College for her information.

To the Honorable

Secretary of the Treasury

Director of Public Affairs

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N^o 1792

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From

The Director of Public Instruction

To

E. Lodge Esq^r B. A.

Offy Principal Presidency Coll

Fort William Dated 19th July

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 11th dated the 6th current I have the honor under the peculiar circumstances of the case, to sanction the appointment of Baboo Gopal Coomarr Goopto sixteenth Teacher of the Colootollah School and a

Teachership Certificate to be held by the said Teacher on Rupees (25) twenty five per month

2 The appointment of Baboo Gopal Banerjee holder of a second grade certificate to be sixteenth Teacher on Rupees (20) twenty a month is also sanctioned.

I have the honor to be

Your most obed^t Servant

Wm. J. J. J.

Director of Public Instruction

From,

N^o 1302 -

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J. Garrett, Esquire

Off^r of Post-Master Genl

To,

C. Lodge, Esquire

Off^r of Principal

Presidency College

Calcutta, Genl Post office

The 21st July 1802

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge your ^{of 7.}
N^o 118 dated 20th Instant and to acquaint you that
I am informed there are three students by name
of Suddonauth Mookherjee in the Presidency
College and I shall feel obliged by your caus-
-ing the three students before the Genl who is held
responsible for the safe delivery of the enclosed
letter. -

I shall also feel obliged by
your causing each of those Lads to sign their
names in your presence to enable me to compare
it with ^{the} signature on the receipt.

I have the honor to be
Your most obed^t serv^t

J. Garrett

Apr 1837

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From

The Director of Public Instruction
of the Province of Ontario

C. J. Buchanan Esq
Junior Secretary to the Government
Fort William dated 25th

Sir

Adverting to your letter of the
24th ultimo, I have the honor to forward
to you (per Mr. [unclear]) from the officiating Principal of the [unclear]
enclosing a communication from the [unclear]
Law and Jurisprudence.

I: In view that the [unclear]
Mr. [unclear] may be properly
necessary to advert to the [unclear]
salaries was the smallest [unclear]
contained in my letter of the [unclear]

It was the proposal [unclear]
"experimental" [unclear]
of [unclear] in [unclear]

some to embrace the entire range of subjects laid
down by the University of London Examinations.

The important part of the required instruction, and
to enforce and be responsible for the whole of it,

it was designed to have a well qualified and

well paid Professor or quasi Principal, aided

either by a permanent Assistant or by occasional

lecturers.

In sanctioning allowances somewhat

below what I had proposed, the Supreme Government

has not only allotted to the Law Teachers

in passu, the time to be devoted to

the curriculum, by implication if not expressly,

afforded the improved footing on which the

proposals were to be placed.

What the Honorable Court, in their

decisions of the 21st May last, treat the question

as one simply of salary, refer to Mr. Montrose

as having the same title duties, and responsibilities

as Mr. Herbert and a "Native" once had, and

receive his salary by Paper (100) one hundred a

month.

5th Dec

Mr. Montrose, as mentioned above

fact, states that, in the event of his retaining
 the appointment as now constituted, he shall
 consider the enlarged sphere and increased
 possibility (as settled last year) for at least
 one that it will now be his duty nearly to
 give a comparatively small number of lectures
 upon some specified subject, and to devote
 to do with any other or various subjects.

6² If such an arrangement be
 accordance with the wishes of the Government
 as it would appear to be with those of
 Court, I shall be glad to be informed
 and I shall of course do my best to carry
 those wishes, but I think it would be
 of the former state of things, and that
 reveries to it is doubtful whether
 beyond what former decisions have
 and still more doubtful whether any
 the course, as advocated by the Council of
 Education, or more lately laid down by the
 University, can be carried out.

7² But Mr. Montagu (if I might
 speak here) further wishes to be informed

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Coppy of ~~the~~ the Off. writing
Principal Presidency College ~~with reference~~
to his letter No. 104 of the 7th Inst. 1839
with a request that until such time as an
answer shall be received from Government
no changes may be made in the present
of instruction &c. in the Sanskrit Department

Wm. Wilson
The 22nd July 1838

London
Director of the

at 116

Lodge
Residence of Mr. Gordon Young

Mr. Gordon Young Esq

Director of Public Works

Residence of Mr. Gordon Young

Sir

The account of the
Account of the Residence
has been returned unvouched by the
Auditor for fresh sanction
~~the continuation of the~~

the honor to request that
enough to obtain the
of Government sanction
of the grant for three years

Yours

Your obedient servant

July 23 1848

of Mr. Mann

Director of Public Works

Philadelphia

It is necessary to send the building separate from
College with a request that it will state for what purpose
it is the property of the University of Pennsylvania

No 1840

To the Honorable
John B. Swann
Secretary

of the Board of Trustees
of the University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia

Dear Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the building now in the possession of the University of Pennsylvania. I have the honor to inform you that the building is the property of the University of Pennsylvania and is not the property of the Board of Trustees.

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June

The Director of Public Instruction

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C. Lodge Esq. B. A.

officiating Principal President

Fort William dated 21st July 1851

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 22nd Instant I have the honor to grant to Sall Hopant a Student in the General Department of the Presidency College a Scholarship tenable in that Institution for the present Session.

I have the honor to be
Yours truly
John Lubbock

John Lubbock

Director of Public Instruction

No. 1195

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, ESQUIRE,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO W. G. YOUNG, ESQUIRE,

Director of Public Instruction.

Fort William, the 24th July 1858.

GENERAL,
Education.

SIR,

I AM directed to forward to you copy of the correspondence noted in the margin,* and to inform you that the Lieutenant-Governor has this day appointed Dr. J. A. F. J. G. Von Liebig to be Professor of Geology in the Presidency College, on a consolidated Salary of Rupees 450 per mensem.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor requests that with reference to paragraph 3 of the letter from the Government of India, in the Home Department, No. 1667, of the 19th instant, you will issue the necessary instructions to the Principal of the Presidency College.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

True Copy

W. G. Young

Director of Public Instruction

No.

FROM

C. BEADON, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,

TO

A. R. YOUNG, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SIR,

Dated 19th July 1858.

Ed. 1710 I AM directed in continuation of my letter No. 2027, dated the 5th October last, to forward the accompanying extract of a Despatch, from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors in the Public Department, No. 58, dated the 28th April last, paragraphs 13 to 17, and to request that in accordance with the desire of the Hon'ble Court Dr. Liebig may be appointed to the Chair of Geology in the Presidency College. Dr. Liebig will also continue to officiate as Deputy Assay Master and perform the duties of both offices.

2. As the salary of the Chair of Natural History and Geology is Rupees 700 a month, and the lectures on Natural History are otherwise provided for, Dr. Liebig will receive as Professor of Geology only a consolidated allowance of Rupees 450 a month ; he will also, while officiating at the Mint, receive the half staff salary of the appointment he holds there and the usual allowance for house rent.

3. I am directed to request that the Lieutenant Governor will issue such instructions in regard to the attendance in the Geological lectures at the Presidency College, as may be required to enable Students fully to prepare themselves for the University Examinations in the Physical Sciences.

4. I am directed to append for the information of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant Governor, copy of a letter addressed in connection with the subject to the Registrar of the Calcutta University.

I HAVE THE HONOR TO

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
The 19th July 1858.

Secy. to the Govt. of India,

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Extract from a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors in the Public Department,
No. 58, dated April 28, 1858.

LETTER (No. 12), DATED MAY 20, 1857.

13. THE services of Dr. Liebig, Professor of Geology and Natural History in the Presidency College, having been transferred temporarily to the Mint before he had entered on the duties of his Professorship, Mr. Blandford, one of the Assistants in the Geological Survey was engaged to give a course of Lectures on Geology and Mineralogy in the Session 1856-57.

20 to 23 also Education letter, dated 10th October (No. 11) 1857
Correspondence regarding the Professorship of Geology in the Presidency College, Calcutta.

14. A very small number of Students was found to attend these Lectures, and it was thought that a larger attendance was not to be expected in future, if it were left to the option of the Students. A knowledge of Geology is not required of candidates for the degree of B. A. in the Calcutta University, and it appears to be the opinion of the Principal and of the late Officiating Principal of the College, that even without the study of Geology, the time of the College Students is occupied fully as much as is desirable. Under these circumstances, and arrangements having been previously made at the Medical College for giving instruction in Animal Physiology, which, as originally intended, would have fallen to the Government of the Professor of Geology and Natural History, you have decided that the Lectures in Geology at the Presidency College shall be discontinued, and that the Professorship shall at least for the present be abolished.

15. We are not satisfied of the propriety of this decision.

16. In any case provision must be made for affording instruction in practical Geology to the Students of the College of Civil Engineering at Calcutta, a knowledge of the subject being essential to an efficient course of instruction at that Institution. The fact that candidates for the degree of B. A. are not required to undergo an examination in Geology is not in our opinion a sufficient reason why the opportunity of becoming acquainted with that science should not be afforded at an Institution which professes to afford the means of a liberal education of the highest order. And as regards the assumed failure of the experiment, we cannot think that a fair trial would under any circumstances have been afforded by the delivery of a single course of lectures; and in the present case it may be presumed without the risk of injustice to Mr. Blandford, that the attendance would have been much larger had the lectures been delivered by Dr. Liebig.

17. It is accordingly our desire that the Professorship of Geology should be re-established and that the services of Dr. Liebig, should be made available for the Office, an arrangement which we think may be carried out at once without prejudice to the duties entrusted to Dr. Liebig at the Mint.

To
The Hon^{ble} Judge Esq^r
Prin^l of Presidency College

Sir,

I have to acknowledge copy
of enclosure to your address from the Director
of Public Instruction having refer^{ence} to my
letter to you on the subject of the dispatch
from the Hon^{ble} the Board of Directors dated
21st May

It will, I think, be
one to make such remarks upon
Director's letter, by way of explanation
may assist the objects he
I therefore address to you the following
for the consideration of the
as a supplement or rider to
to the Government of Bengal

If by the
to in the third paragraph of the
letter is intended the letter from
directed to the Government of India to

(assuming of course the sufficiency of their
 previous general education) to pass the
 general examination for the B.L.
 degree of the Calcutta University. Upon
 taking charge of the office, on the
 5th Sept. 1857, I inquired of those stu-
 -dents who were preparing for the
 University examination of the then
 ensuing 5th March, (after explaining to
 them the requirements of that exami-
 -nation) - in what they considered
 -selves most deficient, and
 branches of legal science they
 me and my assistants,
 of six months, to instruct them
 consulted together, and have
 paper of subjects of which I have
 a copy.

5 The Directors of the
 meeting, in February, the
 of Mr. Boulton, ...

suggestion of the late Council of
 Education, was a really adequate
 system to carry out the views of the
 University Senate - but, I thought it
 an improvement, and one certain
 to lead (from its very action and
 development) to the establishment
 of a school of law every way worthy
 of the peculiar and important objects
 of public instruction in law and
 connate studies, in British India.
 myself, I determined rather than
 in organising such a school, to
 my office to carry out what was
 the wishes of Government, than
 up to the letter of public in-
 structions.

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I have, as yet, been able to

do but little, more is to be done

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comparative of law-professorships in the
college, is no longer a simultaneous
office, yet, that the former state of
things cannot, in other respects, be
possibly reverted to; inasmuch as
additional subjects (included in
the B. L. degree) have to be taught
e. g. when I took charge, there was no
Professor of (now separate) Law
English law.

I consider, that the
unity and general sup
= produced by the change
useful and convenient,
indispensable to the scheme
= structure, in any of it
pupils be compelled
lecturer or teacher

the general requisites of public in-
struction will be completely met; no-
can, as seems to me, any official com-
munication directly between these
teachers be at all essential to en-
able their pupils to derive all
advantages from the teaching of each.

10 Not that I would be sup-
posed to deny, or to be unaware
of the great usefulness and impor-
tance (I had almost said necessity)
of a comprehensive and centralised
system of instruction, in order fully
to carry out the intentions and wants
of Government, and ^{the} just expec-
tations of the public in this matter;
but, in view of the adaptation of
the very small means available

Moreover, the task imposed now upon ~~some~~ professor or teacher, to work up to a particular standard, viz, the University examination, presents another obvious difference of labour and responsibility, between the present and the former office. It follows, that, assuming the despatch of business, and even supposing, of the salary, of Rs. 400, formerly given, it is neither a necessary nor a logical inference, that the same salary should now be considered sufficient.

I cannot suppose a gentleman whom the Government or the University, would deem a qualified occupant of the same office in this department, would consider any salary that has been proposed a remuneration for his services, although he might be well

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that, it might be convenient for the law
teachers to form a board, the person acting
as secretary, to communicate directly with
the Director & this plan would also tend
to uniformity, and system, and might
be the basis of or tend to originate
larger plan.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient
servant

F. A. Norton

27th July 1850

2 West Post office Pt

P. S. As Mr Under Ensign's letter is now under
the orders of the ^{Honorable} Lieut. Governor
concern, which I trust circumstances may
forwarded, ^{simultaneously} a copy of the
Secretary to Government

Amicus superius
to in para 4

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Head (to be of the University of Cambridge)

(a) Personal rights and status except
as respects the English law.

(b) Rights of property - modes of
acquisition and testamentary succession,
except as regards the English law.

Law of contracts and Intestate
succession (complete)

(c) Law of Evidence (complete).

General principles of procedure

(if time permits).

No. 1854

From,

The Director of Public Instruction

To,

C. Lodge Esq^r B.A.
Officiating Principal Presidency
College

Dated Fort William 25th July 1858

Sir,

In reply to your letter
dated 27th Instant with enclosure, I
to draw your attention to my endorsement
dated 12th August last and to request
in cases like the present the
IFICATE should invariably be
form prescribed by section IV
venanted Absentee Rules.

I have the honor to
Sir,
Your most obed^t serv^t
Wm. Young
Director of Public Instruction

No. 4877

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From,

The Directors of Public Instruction

To,

C. Lodge Esq: B.A.
Officiating Principal Presidency
College

Dated Fort William 29th July 1853

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 120
dated the 24th Instant I have the honor to
award a Junior Scholarship of Rs. 100 (3)
eight a month (being one of the three recently
forfeited by their holders from the Benmut
School) to Gareny Churn Modderjee
at the Presidency College for one year
the 1st Ultimo.

2 I would observe however
it would have been more
convenient if your present
had been made at an earlier
the Session.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedt servant

W. J. G. G. G.

Director of Public Instruction

No. 4877.

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From,

The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

C. Lodge Esq. B. A.
Officiating Principal Presidency
College

Dated Fort William 29th July 1858

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 121
dated the 24th Instant I have the honor to
award a Junior Scholarship of Rupees (8)
eight a month (being one of the three recently
forfeited by their holders from the Baraset
School) to Sureny Churn Mookerjee
at the Presidency College for one year
the 1st Ultimo.

2 I would observe however
it would have been more
convenient if your present
had been made at an earlier period
of the Session.

Yours truly

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

J. B. G. G. G.

Director of Public Instruction

Apr 1914
(Circular)

Twenty-four copies of the blank form of Abstract Register of attendance forwarded to the officiating Principal Masters of colleges with a request that the monthly Returns may in future be prepared in the form now forwarded.

Fort William

The 30 July 1874

W. J. Young
Director of Public Instruction

No 1883

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From

Mrs Director of Public Instruction

To

L.

George Lodge Esq. B.A.

Officiating Principal Presidency College

Fort William dated 30th July 1883

Sir,

I have the honor to forward you information copy of a Letter from Government No 1196 dated 24th Instant.

It is possible that some arrangement may be made to Government for providing teaching of Geology available elsewhere other than those of the Presidency College but in the meantime and pending receipt of any orders on the subject you are to instruct Mr. Lehigh on his assuming charge of his new appointment, to undertake to commence a course of lectures in the Presidency

College.

Dear Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servt

J. D. Johnson

Director of Public Instruction.

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N^o 1967

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From
The Director of Public Instruction

To
C. George Clegg M. A.,
Officiating Principal Presidency College
Fort Williams dated the 3rd August 1858

Sir,
I have the honor to request that you will be good enough
to expedite the transmission of the undermentioned Return
which is now overdue from your Office.

Annual Report of the Presidency
College and its subordinate institutions
for 1857/58. -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant
Wm. Lawton
Director of Public Instruction

Calcutta 9th August 1854

To
The Principal, Presidency College.

Dear Sir
I have the honor to acquaint you with the
information of the Dir. of Public Instruction
to enable him to provide for the lectures on Geology
in my absence, ~~that I~~ have in a letter of which
I annex a copy, applied for leave
private affairs for 6 months and ~~under the~~
new regulations. The urgency of the arrangements
prevented me to inform you before this of the
I intended to take, but which, I trust, will cause
no delay.

I have the honor to be

[Signature]

Your most obed^t Servant
J. G. ...
Prof. of Geology, Presidency College

James
The Secretary of the Institute
of the

C. Lodge Coxe
Officiating Principal Secretary
Fort William dated 11th Aug 1758

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 20th
Inst I have the honor to say that
not to the position of the affair during the
late that objection was felt, but to the
"solemn declaration" as to change being
"necessary to recovery," as well as by a
statement of the case, with the reasons
the malady as is required by the

2. On your special request
however, as to submit further correspondence
no objection on the occasion to your leave
absence to Peter M...
... of the ...
for two months from 20th ...

V of the ... The paper
... your

From
The Secretary of the Institution

C. Lodge City P. A.
Officiating Principal Presidency College,
Dated Fort William the 5th August

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 26th dated the 26th ultimo with enclosures I have the honor to refer you to the official Circular No 1606 dated the 9th and to remind you that you should not prepare Certificates for students who are transferred from one college to another but you should simply furnish the necessary information to the Principal of the college to which they are transferred.

The certificates of such of the students not transferred who left in the third year are enclosed and returned herewith.

I have the honor to be
Yours faithfully
J. G. ...

No. 1881.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,
Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 5th August 1858.

GENERAL,
Education.

SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1881, dated the 29th ultimo, with its enclosure, and in reply to inform you that, under the condition mentioned in your paragraph 2, the Lieutenant-Governor approves of the temporary arrangement proposed for conducting the duties of Mr. Grapel during his absence on Medical Certificate, viz., by dividing them between the Officiating Principal of the Presidency College and Mr. Sanders, and transferring a portion of the ordinary duties of the former to Mr. Rees, the Assistant Professor of Mathematics, the available portion of Mr. Grapel's Salary, or Rupees 300 a month, being allotted to Messrs. Sanders and Rees in equal portions.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Sp. 2027

Copy forwarded to the Officiating Principal of the Presidency College with reference to the letter of the 27th ult.

Wm. J. ...

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Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 1216

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, ESQUIRE,
Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 28th July 1858.

GENERAL,
Education. SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1800 of the 21st instant, and to inform you in reply that with reference to the Medical Certificate submitted, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant Mr. W. Grapel, Professor of Literature in the Presidency College, twelve months' Leave of Absence under Clause 2, Section V of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, in supersession of the leave granted to him on the 22nd of May last.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal

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Copy forwarded to the officiating Principal of the Presidency College for information and guidance with reference to his letter No. 112 dated 10th ult.

*Fort William
the 10th Aug 1858*

*W. Grapel
Principal of the Presidency College*

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No.

-FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, ESQUIRE,
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I have the honor to be,

SIR,
Your most obedient Servant,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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No.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, ESQUIRE,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 28th July 1858.

GENERAL,
Education.

SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1800 of the 21st instant, and to inform you in reply that with reference to the Medical Certificate submitted, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant Mr. W. Grapel, Professor of Literature in the Presidency College, ~~three~~ months' Leave of Absence under Clause 2, Section V of the Uncovenanted ~~Committee~~ Rules, in supersession of the leave granted to him on the 22nd of May last.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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Sir,

Director of Public Instruction

of

St. George's College

Inspector of Schools

Dated Fort William the 22nd May 1893

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 14th of this date I have the honor to acknowledge your recommendation to sanction the award of a Junior Scholarship of the value of Rupees 100 per month to Kader Hantho of the Aided School at ... the same being tenable for ... years at the Presidency College

I have the honor to be,
Yours faithfully,
Director of Public Instruction
N. 1293

Copy forwarded to the
Officiating Principal, Presidency
College for his information and
guidance.

Fort William
Director of Public Instruction

Descriptive Roll for transfer of Junior Scholarship holders from the
 Anglo-Bengal Dept of the Calcutta Museum to the Presidency College as per letter of the Director of Public
 Instruction 4-1-1903 dated 5th May, 1903

Name	Age	Let or Date	Subj of Admission	Parent or Guardian	Occupation	Residence	Remarks
Arachit Khan	17	Proposed 1896	10 th June 1896	Arachit Khan	Librarian of the Board of Examiners	Dudhpathar (village)	Spined Junior School for health amendment

Calcutta Museum
 The 2nd May, 1903

[Signature]
 [Signature]

From: [Redacted] (Circular) N. 1207

To: The Director of Public Instruction

C. Large Esq. B.A.
Officiating Principal, Presidency College,
Fort William dated 11 May 1855

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge for your information and guidance a List of the pupils of Zillah Schools to whom Scholarships have been awarded tenable at the Presidency College. The Scholarship allowance is to be drawn in each case from the 1st of June upon the date subsequent thereto on which the scholars may join the College.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant
[Signature]
Director of Public Instruction

Name of scholar	School at which given	Yearly School fee	Age	Years
Sugopal	Mestrye	Kajapuzlop	8	2
Rajmohun	Mestrye	Chakrapar	11	2
Barchur	Banerjee	D. S.	8	2
Kobooman	Chatterbutty	D. S.	8	2
Sree Nath	Sickdar	Surajpur	11	2
Robert	Penheir	Chittagong	11	2
Lava	Prasanna	Doga	10	2
Ramesh	Chatterbutty	Paracet	10	2
Omek	Chunder	Dutt	11	2
Omek	Chunder	Ghose	11	2
Suguna	Mestrye	Hindu	11	2
Gopal	Chunder	Banerjee	11	2

For William G. ...
 The 11th May 1883
 Director of Public Instruction

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(Circular)

To

The Director of Public Instruction

of

B. L. College, Sec. 132,

Officiating Principal, Presidency College

Fort William, Calcutta, 11/15/58.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 11th

15th ultimo I have the honor to inform you that the following award of Junior Scholarships has been made to the scholars of the English Branch Schools -

Names	Amount		Institution	Remarks
	Rs.	P.		
English School				
Umbhara Churn Bose	10	2	Presidency College	
Dinesh Chunder Roy	10	2	Do	
Molender Lal Seal	10	2	Do	
Sureshwar Bose	10	2	Do	
Purnanath Ghose	10	2	Do	
Joyanath Ghose	10	2	Do	
Opuramath Dutt	10	2	Do	
Jinnanath Sen	10	2	Presidency College	
Abhy Churn Ghose	10	2	Presidency College	
Oriental School				
Shankar Lal Roy	10	2	Do	
Bachchanand Mookerjee	10	2	Do	

2.

Cash Stipendship is payable
from the 1st June & from the date
there is no doubt the student may join his College.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt^l Servant

Richard Jones
Director of Public Instruction

1
L. Jones

Windsor School 100
4th May 1858

Dear Sir

I beg to send you the
list of boys you agreed to
promote to the college from this
school as per your letter
of date 31st March 1858

1. Bireeshay Mukhar
 2. Sitia Nath Dab
 3. Dadda Nath Singh
 4. Jaggendur W. Banerjee
 5. Hira Ball Ghose
 6. Jagruch Nath Paulit
 7. Kully hum Sein
 8. Pundit W. Inqum dar
- Yours truly
Pundit W. Inqum dar

Windsor
School

No. 30

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The Inspectors of Schools
Bengal

To
J. Sutcliffe Esq
Principal of the Presidency College
Fort William

Sir

Agreeably to the order of the Government
of India N^o 623 dated 11 April, and 14th December
December 1856. I have the honor to inform you
that Gally Shohoy Roy (Chandrayya) of
Barrisa School has been awarded a
scholarship of Rs 400 per
year tenable at the Presidency College

I have the honor to be
Yours faithfully
H. Woodroffe
Inspector of Schools

No. 416 -

Copy forwarded to the Secretary of the
Aided School for
with reference to his letter of 18th Dec. 1856. Dated
29th December & 2nd January 1857.
Fort William
Thursth 11th May 1857

From, *SV 71*

The Secretary to the Desh Mission
Biddulph Bazaar

To

J. Sutcliffe Esq.

Principal of the Presidency College

Sir,

With reference to the contents of the
of letter *SV 30 d/13* January 1858 from the
Inspectors of *W. ...* I have
the honor to send *...*
from the Bazaar school for free
with an scholarship of *Rs. 4/6* per month
for 3 years tenable at the Bazaar school
and to request the favor of your kindly
doing the same.

The return of the original letter
above referred to is submitted.

Bazaar
1st June 1858

I am Sir,
Your Obedt Servant
...

Recd of July 1836

(Circular)

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To the Director of Public Instruction
The Off. Secretary & Local Committee
of Public Instruction
West Hill

Referring to your letter
dated 20th June 1836
in favor of the
of Scholarships
to the students of

Name	Age	Rank	Remarks
Srinath Sedar	10	1	
Resudip Sedar	8	2	

Each Scholarship
is payable from the
of the Government
to the student.

By request to the Rev. Mr. Bishop
of the Diocese of Tennessee to
call him to join the College
his scholarship is tenable.

Wm. Smith
Off. Secy. Col. C.

To
The Director of Public Instruction,
Sd/-

C. Large Esq. M.A.
Off. Principal Presidency College
Fort William dated 1st June 1858

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you
that Senior Scholarships of the value of Rs. 20
Twentyfive have been awarded to the following
Students of the Presidency College
from the 1st Instant..

- Charaknath Dutt.
- Callika Doff Dutt.
- Anund Lal Sen.
- Judornath Chatterjee.
- Ramesh Chunder M.
- Abin Chunder G.
- Womesh Ch.
- Abin Kisan

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
C. Large

No. 1373

The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

C. Lodge Esq.

Officiating Principal, Presidency College,

Dated Fort William the 25th June 1873

Sir,

In continuation of my letter
 letter No. 1188 dated the 8th ultimo, I have
 the honor to inform you that a
 Scholarship of the value of Rs. 100
 (10) per month has been awarded
 to Gopal Dass student of the
 School for one year term at
 the Presidency College.

As per the honor to be

Yours faithfully,
 J. S. ...
 ...

No. 1448

The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

Rev. J. P. [Name]

Dated for [Date] the 12th June 1908

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 8th instant I have the honor to sanction the Junior Scholarship of the students named in the margin being payable ⁺ instead of at the []

+ Amesh Chunder Datta
Rupees 10 a month.
+ Amesh Chunder Shree
Rupees 10 a month.

Yours faithfully,
Director of Public Instruction,
No. 1450

Copy forwarded to the []
-ciating Principals []
for information and []
continuation of []
letter No. 120 of the 11th []

J. P. [Name]
The Director of Public Instruction

The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

C. Loder Esq^r M.P.

Off^r of the ~~...~~

Pres^{nt} of the College

For William de ...

Sir,

With reference to your letter, 7/11
 dated the 11th Ultimo with enclosure therein
 the honor to state that as it appears from
 the Examination Returns of the ...
 Students that Ram loll ...
 Scholarship was originally ...
 years on the usual conditions ...
 examination having gained ...
 moiety of the prescribed ...
 he is permitted to retain his ...
 for another year.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

J. D. ...

Director of Public Instruction.

The Director of Public Instruction,
To.

C. Lodge Esq. P.M.
Offg. Principal of ... College,
Fort William ...

Sir.

In reply to your letters of the 9th and 10th dated 10th and 12th Instant respectively I have the honor under the circumstances mentioned therein to sanction the award of

Scholarships to the Students of ... College whose names are ... tenable for one year for

Tara Perunno Mookerjee - ...

Soorjunarayan Singh - ...

Rajendronath Bose - ...

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours faithfully,
The Director of Public Instruction

1853

From

The Director of Public Instruction

To

C. Long Esq
Officiating Principal
Port William College

Sir,

In reply to your letter
of the 12th Instant I have the honor
the Junior Scholarship
month recently forfeited by
Francis to O'Connell
at the Presidency College

I have the honor
to be
Yours
J. J. [unclear]
[unclear]

To

The Principal of the Presidency College
Fort William.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that the ~~honour~~ ^{honour} of this Rajkris manick, a student of the Hishnagur has been allowed by the Director of Education to be transferred to your College on the same position as to Scholarships as he has hitherto been placed here. He carries with him a Senior Scholarship of Rs 20. per mensem.

I have the honor to be

Hishnagpur College }
The 7th July 1858 }

Your most
Obedt Servant
J. M. D. ...

To

The Principal of the Presidency
Calcutta

Sir,

I have the honor to inform
that this bearer of this Tara Bur (who
a student of the Hishnagar College), has
allowed by the Director of Public Instruction
to be transferred to the Presidency
the same position as to pay
fee as he has hitherto been paid
paid here 3 Rs.

Hishnagar College

1st July 1850

Wm. ...

No 140

From
The Rev. Principal, Berkshire College

To
C. Lodge Esquire
Principal of the

Dated Berkshire 1888

Sir,

I have the honor to
with the description. I will
proceeding to join the
the transfer arrangement
the Director of Public & Inst.

I have the honor to

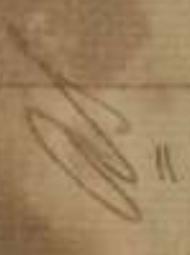
Sir

Your most

A

Descriptive Roll of students transferred to the Missionary College. —

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Age	When transferred	Terms transferred	Successor	to	Successor	Successor	Successor	Successor
Annals 19	Benchamper Building College, Benhamper College Linn School, Calcutta	Benchamper Building College, Benhamper College Linn School, Calcutta	Linn School, Calcutta					

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1841

From

The Secretary of the
Board of Education

L. E. Lodge Esq.
Officiating Principal
Presidency

Dated Perth

Sir,

I have the honor
with the descriptive
proceeding to join the Presidency
transfer arrangements lately in
Director of Public Instruction

Yours faithfully

Descriptions. Roll of Students transferred to the Presidency College.

Age	Where Transferred	Terms Transfered	Proceeding to	Standing	Character	Other
19th	Berkhamstead College	Completion from completion of the payment of the same in the and the of the of the of the	Presidency College, Calcutta	Third year Student	Very good
21	with	do	with	with	with	with
	with	with	with	with	with	with
	with	with	with	with	with	with
	with	with	with	with	with	with
					

Apr 1735
(Circular)

From
The Trustees of Public Instruction
To
C. L. ...
Officers of ... College
St. ...

Sir,
With reference to your letter
to the Education Department
and especially to the
as to reducing the
to such a sum as
"maintenance of the
request you will refer
in your opinion, the
might for the
whether it would
number of
reduction of
to observe that
more will
Steps be

The Officiating Principal has the honor
to say that in accordance with regulation 10 of
the library rules that the following books may
be returned if possible to the purpose
of Inspection when they will be immediately
reissued if required.

Mr E Lodge

Todd's Milton 266

Roscoe's Pope 366

Mr J Sanders

Mills Logic 266

Thomson's Laws of Thought

Edward's Composition

Keightley's England

Hamilton's Reid

Berkeley's Works

Dequincy's Logic

Lock's Works

Chaucer's Poems

Addison's Papers

Butler's Sermons

Brombie's Etymology

Mr J J Rees

Bohn's Classics

Library of useful knowledge

Snowball's Trigonometry

Bohn's German Grammar

D. M. H. Jones

Superior Electro Metallurgy

Scientific Method

Mathematical Philosophy

Gregory's Organon

Bohn's German Grammar

brotherly love
honey

Pereys Relics

Johnson's Novels Vol. 3

book of the world

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Dear M^r

Presidency College
The 30 July 1838

Mr. James
The Secretary

1895

From
The Director of Public Instruction
No. 11, P. P. S.
Civil Ave.
Fort William, S.C.

Sir,

With reference to
Scholarships for the present
to inform you that the
to Shama Churn Ganga
has been resigned by
to Lalajpal Dutt for
possession to be at that

Copy
Respectfully,
with reference
Director
Fort William, S.C.

To

Mr. George Payne

Principal, Wesleyan College

Sir

I have the honor to apply

for leave of absence from

duties, to attend a

convention at

on the 21st inst.

and of the month.

I shall be

due from

during

Yours truly

W. H. [Name]

Description of Bell's ...
in accordance with R. H. ...

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No.

James

1. *Persea ...*
Sept. 19th 8 banks

3rd grass stage

The structure of the
second grass stage

grass

Persea ...
No. 21 - July 1858

P. ...
Principal

W. Gordon Young, Esquire,

Director of Public Instruction,

Chicago

Sir,

Being given to understand that the
Mastership in the Kinder School is about to become vacant, I
respectfully beg to apply for it.

In doing which I refer you to
information that I have received in the
College, I have been serving in the
more than a year and I hold a
Third Grade.

I have the honor to be

Robert Lee School

July 27, 1858.

Yours
W. Gordon Young

N. 1955

Preserved in original to the officiating
Bishop of Breidenburg College

W. J. Adams

For William
3rd August 1883 116 831

Director of Pub. Inst.

Received

Mr. Robert Williams
of the
Office of the
Bank of the City of New York

Sir,
I acknowledge the receipt
of the 24th of the 26th of the
honour to state that on the 24th of the
afforded I do not feel
received till the amount
last bill on account of
calculation whereby you
an item of \$7.91 is due
to \$250 for which your
Bill is quite a non-
credit of the
January note to
Bills, and
The amount
you actually
to be paid

Wm.

1856

February 7th. Amount passed in Op of Salary 100

March 10th

April 5th

October 24th

Total sum passed for one year from 1st March 1856 to 31st Dec 1856

Four months allotted to Mr. Sykes to close his account
from 1st January to 30th April 1857.

1857

January 29th

Amount still available to be drawn by
Sykes if he did actually supply his
during the period

Then the new account of 1857/58 com

1857 to 30th April 1858. Amount made

to this account as per letter of the Offr. Dated

19th November 1857

D^r Bill dated 15th April 1858

which closes this account.

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FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE OFFG. SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
N. W. PROVINCES.

Fort William, the 9th August 1858.

GENERAL,
Education.

SIR,

THE Director of Public Instruction of the North Western Provinces having applied for the services of Mr. William Hudson and Mr. John Statham, who were last year engaged by the Hon^{ble} the Court of Directors for employment in those Provinces, but were temporarily attached to the Lower Provinces by order of the Governor-General in Council, I am directed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to state that the gentlemen above named have been ordered to proceed at an early date to Benares, as requested by Mr. Reid, and to report themselves to Dr. Ballantyne, Principal of the College at that Station.

2. The necessary instructions have also been issued to the Offices of Audit and Pay, to pass to Messrs. Hudson and Statham their travelling expenses to Benares, debitable to the Government of the North Western Provinces.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

N. 1335

Copy forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction with reference to his letter of 14th July 1858 dated No 30 with a request that he will issue the necessary instructions to Messrs Hudson and Statham

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secy to the Govt of Bengal

No. 1217

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 9th August 1858.

GENERAL,
Education.

SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Office communication No. 1905, dated the 29th ultimo, and in reply to state that, in compliance with your recommendation, the Lieutenant-Governor Authorizes the continuance for three years of the grant of Rupees (120) one hundred and twenty per month, for House Rent of the Presidency College, commencing from the 1st June 1858.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

*Copy forwarded to
College for information and
No. 123 dated 28 & return by
Herewith
Fort William
10 Aug 1858*

No 2059

Copy forwarded to the officiating Principal Presidency
College with a request that he will direct Mr. Matham
superintending Teacher in the Hindu School to make early
arrangement for proceeding to Benares reporting himself
on his arrival there to the Principal of the College.

Fullerton
13 August 1853

Wm Young
Director of Pub. Instruction

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No.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 9th August 1858.

GENERAL,
Education.

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I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal

15 Sep. 1858
He has been admitted to
the third class Hindu School

No. 904 129

The Inspector of Schools,
East Bengal

To
E. Lodge Esq. B.A.
Off^r Principal Presidency
College - Calcutta.

Dated Fort William 12th August 1858.

Sir,
I have the honor to inform
you, that Mahendra Sahu Chatterjee
of Damdum A.V. School, is at present
one of the free students whose names were
established under the order of the Govt
of Bengal as notified to the Education
Department, in letter No. 850 dated
27th August, 1857.

In conformity with the order
I have the honor to request that he may
be admitted as a free student to the
School, for his year beginning from the
1st September 1858.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
Inspector of Schools

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From F. C. SANDES, Esq., Solicitor to the East India Company, to C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,
Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,—(No. 270, dated the 9th August 1858.

SIR,

IN continuation of my letter No. 489, dated 2nd March last, I have the honor to report for the information of his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, that the Suit in which the Will of Nilcomul Seal was questioned came on for hearing in the Supreme Court, on the 5th instant, and the Court, in consequence of discrepancies in the evidence of the Witnesses said to have been present when the Will was signed, considered it was not satisfactorily proved and therefore declined to grant Probate thereof.

2. The effect of this decision is, of course, that the legacies given to the Charities will not be paid.

No. 460

COPY forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for information, in continuation of this Office endorsement No. 555, dated the 17th March last.

By Order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

FORT WILLIAM,

The 14th August 1858.)

(Signed) C. T. Buckland
Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 2108

*Copy forwarded to the officiating Principal of the College in continuation of this off.
19th March 1858.—*

*Fort William
17th August 1858*

Director of Public Instruction

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From F. C. SANDES, Esq., Solicitor to the East India Company, to C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,
Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,—(No. 270, dated the 9th August 1858.

SIR,

IN continuation of my letter No. 489, dated 2nd March last, I have the honor to report for the information of his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, that the Suit in which the Will of Nilcomul Seal was questioned came on for hearing in the Supreme Court, on the 5th instant, and the Court, in consequence of discrepancies in the evidence of the Witnesses said to have been present when the Will was signed, considered it was not satisfactorily proved and therefore declined to grant Probate thereof.

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FORT WILLIAM, }
The 14th August 1858. } Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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From F. C. SANDES, Esq., Solicitor to the East India Company, to C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,
Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,—(No. 270, dated the 9th August 1858.

SIR,

IN continuation of my letter No. 489, dated 2nd March last, I have the honor to report for the information of his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, that the Suit in which the Will of Nilcomul Seal was questioned came on for hearing in the Supreme Court, on the 5th instant, and the Court, in consequence of discrepancies in the evidence of the Witnesses said to have been present when the Will was signed, considered it was not satisfactorily proved and therefore declined to grant Probate thereof.

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By Order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

FORT WILLIAM, }

The 14th August 1858. }

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

From

H. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

To

C. Lodge Esq. B.A.
Officiating Principal
Presidency College

Dated Fort William the 20th of August 1858

Sir,

Reference is made to your letter

dated the 20th Instant wherein you request
that you will state what [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
claims to the vacant [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
information should always [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
-commendations of this [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

The Treasurer of
S^r W. Brown
Principal Dacca
Fort William

Sir

In returning accounts the
sum for Prize books required for
College received with you on the
19th Instant I have the pleasure
that it has been passed and
supplies from the alms
It is impossible at this
for this office to sanction
Educational Allowance

Yours
W. Brown
Principal
Dacca
Fort William

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From

The Director of Public Instruction

A. Woodrow

Inspector

Govt. School

Dated Fort William 1853

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 99 of the 21st instant and to approve of an examination for each school Certificates being held by your school at the Lodges at the Presidency on the 23rd inst or as soon after that date as may be convenient.

2. Baboo has been appointed a member of the Committee.

(Signed)
Director

Copy of
Officiating
information

Fort William
1853

Director of Public Instruction

From
 C. J. Buckland Esq
 Junior Secretary to the Government
 The Secretary to the Government
 Home Department
 Fort William the 6th September 1853

General,
 Education.

Sir,
 I am directed by the Lieutenant-Governor

Letter from Director of Public Instruction, No. 1279, dated the 27th July 1853. Enclosure -
 Letter from Professor of Law and Jurisprudence, Presidency College, dated the 27th July 1853. Enclosure.

Honble the President in Council of the University

* Received with Mr. Under-Secretary's order, Docket No. 4507, dated the 8th June 1853.

retrospectively the salary of all the Professors and
 Professor in the Hindu College

2. The correspondence submitted to
 Honble the President in Council in support of the
 strong recommendation contained in the letter
 of Mr. Gordon Young, dated 22nd July 1853, that, if proper
 ble, and as an act of grace, the retrospective
 retrenchment against Mr. Gordon Young may be
 So that, on like grounds, the Lieutenant-Governor
 desires to add his own recommendation, that Mr.

claim of right is manifestly
 that full

inadmissible. He took the office with the perfectly understood condition that as to the salary it was according to the orders of the Honorable Council. He would not have expected that those orders would be against him. But as they have gone that way he has nothing to do but submit. He thinks that Mr. Morrison has well and zealously performed his duty, and the restriction operates on him with much severity. The Lieutenant-Governor submits his case for such indulgent consideration as the Honorable the President in Council in his correspondence with the Authorities in England may think fit to bestow upon it. Upon the general question the Lieutenant-Governor understands, with Mr. Gordon Young, that the orders of the Government of India dated the 10th July 1857, in reply to Mr. Gordon Young's letter of the 23rd May preceding, are rightly interpreted as respecting generally to the scheme of Law study proposed by Mr. Gordon Young in his letter of the 6th May 1857, though only partially to the increase of salaries which was suggested. Indeed, a scheme less complete would not apparently fulfil the purpose of the University by enabling students to master the prescribed text.

As Under this view, the Lieutenant-Governor is not disposed to agree with Mr. Gordon

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opinion that the recent Dispatch of the Honble
Court recognises and permits the Government here
to recognize a return to the old and established system
which that proposed by the Honble Court
and accepted by the Government of which was
intended to supersede.

5. The purpose of the Honble Court
in the opinion of the Lieutenant Governor is
that the improved scheme of Law Schools
should be retained, but the Professors left highly
remunerated.

6. This being the Lieutenant Governor
view of the case, he can consider it a reasonable
proposition to report to the Honble Court as
-lent, if preserved in to the remuneration of the
Professorship, and to that effect the
Governor will instruct the Honble Court
directing them to appoint Mr. [Name] as

1st That as of right he has no claim
whatever to any remuneration of the return
but that

2nd A remuneration will be recommended
to the Superior Authorities as an act of grace
in consideration of his zealous and able performance
of his duties during the past year.

3rd That the Government can pay
of his services as Law Professor, or any other
footing as to the scheme of teaching, than that
on which he was appointed in 1857, and that

Dear Sir
The Director

C. Lopez
Officiating Surgeon
Fort Williams

Sir

Referring to the
pursuant to letter No. 276
and the previous correspondence
subject I have the
will inform me
been made for giving
of the Precidency
during the present

2. I should be
forming me what
the Superior

Yours
D. Lopez

From

The Secretary to the Local Board
of Public Instruction
Chittagong;

To

The Principal of the Presidency
College

Dated Chittagong 5th Sept 1858.

Sir,

Not having up to date re-
ceived a Memorandum explaining the
Charges incurred for the Chittagong
Exhibition Scholar during the quarter
ending 31st July 1858 I have the honor to
request the favor of your furnishing me
with the same at your earliest con-
venience.

I have the honor to be

Yours most obed^t servant

Wm. M. M.

Secy L. C. P. I.
Chittagong

From,

The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

W. P. Palmer Esq.

Civil Auditor

Dated Fort William the 15th September 1858

Sir,

With reference to the list of scholar-
-ships for the present year, I have the honor
to inform you that the Senior Scholarship of
Ruppes (25) twenty-five awarded to Ram-
-der Banerjee of the Presidency College has
been resigned by him and conferred upon
Raney Madub Mookerjee a second year
Student of the Law Department of that
Institution tenable for the remainder of the
Session. —

I have the honor to be,
Believe me, Sir,
Very respectfully,
Your obedient Servant,
W. P. Palmer Esq.
Director of Public Instruction

No. 2345

Copy forwarded to the
Principal Presidency College for information
and guidance with reference to the letter
dated 4th Instant.

Fort William

The 15th September 1858 } Director of Public Instruction

N. 2359

From

(London)

The Director of Public Instruction,
St. Andrew's College

Edinburgh
B. Large Esq.
Apprentice Principal, St. Andrew's College,
Fort William dated 20th September 1887

Sir

I have the honor to request that you will inform me at your earliest convenience whether with reference to the change that has recently been made in the University Examination Regulations, you have any desire to modify in any way the determination contained in your predecessor's letter N. 687 dated 12th October 1887 in regard to the degree that should be conferred on the candidates under your control.

2. Oblige you also by stating whether it will not in your opinion be advisable to make a corresponding change in the time of holding the Senior Scholarship Examination in the case of the students of the College.

Yours

1095

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From

The Inspector of Schools
E. K. ...

To

The Principal, ...
College
Fort William dated ...

Sir

I have the honor to forward
for your information the following
Extract from the proceedings of the
Meeting of the Local Committee
of Public Instruction at ...
and to request the favor of your
furnishing me with the necessary ...
for the ...

I have the honor to ...

Sir

Yours most Obedient

Inspector of Schools

No. 2380

From
 The Master Public Instruction
 To
 C. Long Esq
 Officiating Principal
 Fort William date 25th Sept 1856

Sir,
 In continuation of my letter
 dated 27th December 1856 to your jurisdiction
 I have the honor to request that you should
 Chunder Dutt late teacher of the
 School has been permanently appointed
 Head Master of the Government School
 Burrisaul, you will be so good as to
 such arrangement as may seem to you best
 filling the post vacated by him in the
 Hindu School -

I have the honor to be
 Sir
 Yours obedient servant
 W. J. P.
 Master Public Instruction

No. 2389

From,

The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

St. Ledge College

Officiating Principal

Presidency College,

and D. G. S. Fort William the 20th September 1855

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge

the receipt of your letter No. 144 dated 20th September

2nd in relation to the

scheme of establishment sanctioned by Govern-

ment for the Hindoo school in 1851, the present

vacancy of the third Master would not be filled

up. But I should remark that in accordance

with the scheme the vacancy should be filled up

by the promotion of the present fourth Master

Baboo Jeeur Chunder Shaha and appointment

of a new fourth Master on Rs. 1200 per annum

and twenty a month.

Understanding your proposal

however to be that Baboo Jeeur Chunder Shaha

should not be thus promoted, but a European

put into the vacancy, and seeing some force

in the reasons you have adduced, I propose to

appoint to the third Mastership Mr. Gregory

of the Colingah School, a gentleman of whose

fitness for the place you have expressed a

favorable

favorable opinion. But, in this case, Baboo
Ajeer Chandra's promotion being as it were based
in this school, it will be necessary to transfer
him elsewhere on the occurrence of a suitable
vacancy in order to allow of the scheme
sanctioned by Government being carried out.
The appointment of Baboo Madub
Chandra as the fifth Master of the Pubna
School to the thirteenth Mastership of the
school in succession to Baboo Surro

Chandra who has resigned, is also sanctioned,
in accordance with the recommendation contained in
letter No. 135 dated 19th March 1882.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Jagannath Prasad Ghosh,
Director of Public Instruction

No 21, 23 196

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
To
C. Lodge Esq. B.A.
Officiating Principal
Presidency College,

Dated Fort William the 7th September 1888

Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter No 148 dated 26th instant
with enclosures and to sanction leave of absence
for four months to Baboo Prasanna Kumar
Sircar seventh Master of the Colonial
Branch School under Section V. of the un-
sanctioned Absentee Rules in extension of the
leave granted to him in this office letter No
2033 dated the 10th ultimo with effect from the
20th instant. —

2. The arrangements sanctioned in
the letter above quoted for conducting the duties
of the Absentee will be continued during
the absence of Baboo Prasanna Kumar Sircar
or until further orders.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedient servant
J. D. [Signature]
Director of Public Instruction

1845

To The Secretary L. C. S. S. [unclear]

From The Principal of the Presidency College

Dated [unclear] 27 September

Sir
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th inst. in relation to the [unclear] of the Local Committee to [unclear] of sending me a Memorandum of [unclear] of Scholarships drawn on account of the [unclear] holders of the Parasit [unclear] at the Presidency College [unclear] quarter ending 31st [unclear]

I have the honor to [unclear]
Yours faithfully
[unclear]
Secretary L. C. S. S.

Extract from an Office Memorandum No. 2415 ¹⁴⁸
dated the 23rd September 1857 from the Director
of Public Instruction to the Head Master of the
Colingah Branch School.

M^r. M. Gregory

The holder of a Teacher's Certificate of the fourth grade
under the old Rules and at present Head
Master of the Colingah Branch School is informed that
he has been appointed third Master of the Hindia school
on a Salary of Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty
a month.

No. 2407

Copy forwarded to the officiating
Presidency Agent in compliance of order
in continuation of this office dated
23rd August.

Fort William

The 23rd September 1857

inform you

Director of Pub. Instruction

No 1124

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From

The Inspector of Schools
East-Bengal

To

The Offg Principal, Presidency
Govt School, dated 22/1/1904

Sir

I have the honor to
that Mohundranath of
Hindu School, and the
Anglo Vernacular School
Dum Dum School, has been
of signing for a greater
received while of
and hereby and
to represent
for the school
of the school

From Brodie
Professor of Anatomy & Physiology
Med. Coll. Calcutta

To Mr. Lodge Esq.
Officiating Principal
Presidency College

Sir

In compliance with the request in
your letter of 11th Sep. 1855 I have the pleasure
to inform you that it is my present intention
to commence the course of lectures on General
Anatomy & Physiology on the 20th of Nov. inst.
& also to furnish you with the information
that during last winter term I delivered
20 lectures to the Students of Presidency College
consisting of

- Description of Natural History
- Classification of the Animal Kingdom
- Description of Organs & Structures of the Human Body

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours most obedt. Servant

Museum Med. College
Calcutta 30 Sep. 1855

Brodie
Professor of Anatomy &
Med. Coll. Calcutta

N. 444

From J. R. Boyce Esq

Off^o Civil Architect

To E. Lodge Esq

Off^o Principal Drawing Office

Sir's Calcutta 3^o October 60

In reply to your letter N. 166 dated the 30^o ultimo, I have the honor to forward for your information copy of the Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal's letter N. 1786 authorizing me to rent out the land in question to private individuals for constructing Buildings of a temporary nature. The rent collected by me is credited to Government in my account Current as land revenue.

Rec^d with Sup^o Encl^o N. 759 of 23^o June 1862-3

I have the honor to be

Your most Obedt Serv^t

J. R. Boyce Esq
Off^o Civil Architect

N: 1786 ¹⁵²

From
The Junior Secretary to the
Government of Bengal
To
The Off: Chief Engineer
Lower Provinces

Dated Fort William the 15th August

Public Works
Education

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt
of your letter N: 894 dated 4th Instant, and to in-
form you in reply that, for the reason stated, the
Sicut: Governor approves of the suggestion of
the Civil Architect that the spot of ground
in College Street belonging to Government, on
which it was proposed to erect the Buthulduang
Branch School, be rented to private individuals
also for constructing buildings of a temporary
nature, and His Honor accordingly authorizes
you to carry the measure into effect reporting
the result for the information of Government.

Care should be taken to provide for
the clearance of the ground at any time
that it may again be required by the
Government for its own use.

I have &c
D. H. J. Buckland

1 Seal Copy / Junior Secy to the Govt of Bengal

J. M. [Signature] Chief Engg
[Signature]

P. 3491

From
The Directors of Public Schools
To

C. Long Esq. Esq.
Solicitor General
Westminster

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 14th inst.
I have the honor to inform you
that the Librarian from the College
of the Librarian from the College

It is now the intention of the
College to make good by a donation from the
income of the current year. I shall be glad
to receive any information from you
relative to the amount of the
loss sustained by the College

I have the honor to be
Dear Sir
I have the honor to be
Dear Sir

all the material and most useful portions
of both sets of Rules. I have been with
a copy of the Rules thus revised, and I would
request that they may be carefully compared
in the President's College in future.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedient,

Wm. Johnson

Director of the College

Library Rules

as revised and approved by the Director of Public Instruction on the 4 October 1858.

1. The Library shall be open and the Librarian shall be in attendance for six hours. Excepting on Sundays and other authorized holidays the hours of opening and closing will be determined and notified by the Principal.

2. The Library is intended for the use of the Professors, Teachers and students attached to the Institution both as a Reading Room and as a lending library.

3. No student shall be allowed to take a book from ^{the} library unless he have previously deposited with the Librarian within the sum of Rs. 100/- or the written guarantee of a Professor for the payment of any demand on account of loss or damage to books.

4. No book shall be removed from the library without the knowledge of the Librarian, nor for casual reference by a Professor during

a lecture) until after it has been entered by him
in a Register to be kept for the purpose. This
Register shall contain Columns for the dates
on which the several books are removed from
and returned to the Library, for the signatures
of the borrowers, for any necessary remarks as
to the condition of the book on its removal, &
and return. ~~The~~ Register shall be submitted
at least once a month for the inspection and
signature of the Principal.

5. The Principal shall lay down from
time ^{to time} any Rules that may be found necessary
for preventing the access of too many students
at one time to the Library, for restricting
the time during which they may remain
there, and for preserving order and
decorum in the Library.

6. Except with the special permission
of the Principal not more than ~~any~~ complete
works shall be kept at the same time by any
Professor or Teacher, and not more than two
volumes by any student.

7. On the cover or in some other conspicuous
part of each Book in the Library shall be a
plate shewing for how many days it may be kept

at one time by a Professor or a student or
respectively; or, in the case of Class books, Masters
of reference, &c., whether it may be taken from
the Library out of class hours, or not at all, as
the case may be.

8 Any person borrowing or removing from
any Volume shall pay its value or replace
it with a similar Volume. When it belongs
to a set or series unless he can replace it
he shall pay the value of the set.

9 Books taken out of the Library must
be returned to the Librarian and on no
account transferred to any one else.

10 **Towards** the end of every official
year all the books shall be called in for
a time, to enable the Librarian to report to
the Director of Public Instruction (in his
Report) on the condition of the Library and
on the manner in which the Rules relating
to it have been observed and the purposes
for which it is kept up answered.

11 The Librarian shall be appointed
by the Principal with the sanction of the
Director of Public Instruction; and previously
to entering on his duties, he shall be required
to

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No 2582

From

The Director of Public Instruction

Of

C. S. College, Coimbatore

Officiating Secy. for Presidency College

Fort St. John, Coimbatore

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 140 dated 21st Ultimo.

It is regretted that the mentioned applications are in accordance with the

conditional permission to practice granted by the Government No. 342 dated August 1897.

and that the arrangement made by the Government in that connection, I beg to mention to you.

absence for the period referred to, and to

that it may not be reported to the Civil Service Commission under the provisions of the

Act of 1897. It is to be noted that the

will if on balance over and above the first year's part distinctly that the application is made in accordance with the provisions of Government above

refused

referred to and that the temporary arrangement
proposed is one that fulfills the required condition.
It will also obviously be convenient that such
applications should be made at an earlier
date than has been the case on the occasions—

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt servant

J. G. S. G. G.

Director of R.B. Dept.

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N. 2596

The Director of Public Instruction

of

C. Ross College, D. C.
Officiating Principal Presidency College,
Simultaneous dated 12th October 1888.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the 10th date at 2. 2. 2.
2. With reference to a Circular which
will probably be issued shortly to the effect that
it is the wish of the Lieutenant Governor
that as a general rule Teachers in Calcutta
should look for promotion to the Presidency
vice versa, I would suggest that it should be
to act on the spirit of this rule by giving preference
to the vacant 8th Mastership some teacher not at
present employed in the or any other school
in Calcutta. In your experience as an
Inspector of schools will probably enable you
to do without much difficulty.

I have the honor to be
Yours most obedient
servant
Director of Pub. Inst.

1739

The Secretary to the Gov^t of Bengal

The Director of Public Instruction
Fort William the 15th Oct 1739

General Sir

In continuation of my letter
of the 27th ultimo 1738 I am directed
to request that you will take measures
for causing the Presidency College and
Madrasa to be illuminated on the
occasion therein referred to

2^d The Gov^t has approved of a design proposed by
Mess^{rs} for the illumination of the College
and some analogous device of the
same kind should be exhibited at the
Presidency College

I am Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Secy to the Gov^t of Bengal

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C. N. 228

To
Capt. W. A. Lee
Principal of the Calcutta Museum

Mr.
E. Lodge Esq^r
Offy Principal Presidency College
Fort William Calcutta the 25th Oct 1850

Sir,

In reply to your letter
No. 184 dated 23rd instant I beg to forward
you a rough sketch of the illumina-
-tion proposed to be carried out at
the Museum.

The cost will probably
be about ~~Rs~~ 500/-

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant

W. A. Lee
Principal

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Andros Alley
October 25th 1758

Sir

In reply to your letter of the
23rd inst. I have been to inform you
that the Presidency College is at present
disposed. The situation is the same
as ever.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient
servant
Stafford

T. Lodge Esq
off^r Penryn
Presby^{tery} Colly

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No 2638

I have
The Secretary of Public Justice
George W. Lodge Esq. B. C.
Offg Principal Presidency Judge

Wm. Williams dated 1st
Sir,

In reply to your letter
dated the 5th instant I have the honor
to say that in the absence of any satisfactory
explanation as to the sketch of the
named Heroin having been
in regard to his college education
so long at the Presidency College
any authority from that office
unable to grant his request

2 The sketch of allowance
to draw from the 1st instant for the
future at the Presidency College for the
month of June July and August must
be forfeited.

Have the honor to tell
Sir,

Your most obedient
servant

Wm. Thompson

Director of Public Instruction.

[Faint, illegible handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

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No. 252
(Circular)

From,
The Director of Public Instruction

To,
C. Lodge Esq. B.A.
Assistant Principal
Presidency College

Dated Fort William the 25th October 1855.

Sir,

With reference to the probability of my being absent from the Head Quarters of my office for a great part of the next three or four months, on a tour in the Mysore, I have the honor to request that during that time you will be so good as to dispose of the business coming before you as far as possible without reference to this office; and that, as a general rule, none but important or urgent matters, or questions beyond your authority to determine, may be made the subject of official reference or correspondence with me —

2. Letters may continue to be addressed to my office in Calcutta, whether also periodical Reports and Returns should be regularly forwarded as usual.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Wm. G. Brown

Director of Public Instruction

[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

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No. 1511

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 6th October 1858.

EDUCATION. SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2394, dated the 23rd ultimo, and in reply to inform you that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased upon your recommendation, and in anticipation of the approval of the Government of India, to sanction the disbursement of the charge of Rupees 200 a month on account of the rent of the House occupied by the Hindoo School from the General Revenue, debitable from the 1st March last, to the Military Department, instead of, as at present, to the surplus Schooling fees of that Institution.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

N^o 2842

Copy forwarded to the Officiating Principal Presidency College for information and compliance with reference to his letter N^o 113 dated 20th ultimo.

*For Char. copies
Fort William
Dated the 25th October 1858
Lieut. Col. C. T. Buckland*

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No.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 6th October 1858.

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I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 6th October 1858.

EDUCATION. SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2304, dated the 23rd ultimo, and in reply to inform you that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased upon your recommendation, and in anticipation of the approval of the Government of India, to sanction the disbursement of the charge of Rupees 200 a month on account of the rent of the House occupied by the Hindoo School from the General Revenue, debitable from the 1st March last, to the Military Department, instead of, as at present, to the surplus Schooling fees of that Institution.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

N^o 1081.

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From the Principal of the Dacca College

To, E. Lodge Esq^r M.A.

Offg Principal of the Presidency
College
Calcutta

Sir,

Dated Dacca, 1st November 1858.

With reference to the 3rd Para. of the
letter No 1019 from the Director of Public Instruction
dated 12th May 1856, I have the honor to request the
favor of your supplying me with a Memorandum of
charges incurred by you on account of Senior Scholars
of the Dacca College for the Quarter ending 31st October
1858. —

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servt

Or ~~Signature~~

Principal

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1827/18
(Circular)

From
The Director of Public Instruction
To
C. J. L. Eugene B. A.
Off. Principal of the Presidency
College
of Fort William the 3rd November 1827

Sir
I have the honor to request that
in making nominations or appointments
to Teacherships under your control, you
will be so good as to bear in mind that
it is not the wish of the Lieutenant
Governor that one set of situations should
be constantly employed in all the
Schools, while others are kept for long
periods in or near the Presidency. On the
contrary, it is for many reasons desirable,
as a general rule, that Teachers who have
served for some years in and about
Calcutta should look for promotion.

to Schools in the Mofussil; and on the
other hand, that Mofussil Teachers
should, when it can be done without
inconvenience, be selected for vacancies
in or near Calcutta.

2^d In like manner it is desirable
that Teachers who have been for some
time attached to a College (under
European influence and superintendency)
should on promotion be transferred
to a Zillah School, and vice versa.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient Servant

W. G. G. G. G.
Director of Public Instruction.

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N^o 2731

From The Director of Public Instruction,

To, W. Wilson named Esq^r
Principal Dacca College

Dated Fort William the 3rd Nov^r 1858

Sir,

In continuation of my letter N^o 2358 dated 17th September last I have the honor to inform you that, on a fuller explanation of the circumstances of the case, from Baboo Abhoy Churn Mullaik the father of the Late Omul Churn Mullaik, the transfer of the latter from the Dacca to the Presidency College with his junior Scholarship of Rupees (8) eight a month is somewhat tenable at the latter Institution for the remainder of the present session.—

I have the

Hon^rble Signature
W. Gordon Young
Director of Public Instruction

N^o 1080

Copy forwarded to the off^{ce} Principal of the Presidency College for information and guidance

Dacca College }
The 8th November }
1858 }

W. Wilson
Principal

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department,—(No. 1498, dated the 31st August 1858.)

READ the following papers on the subject of Peons' Salaries in the Government Offices at Calcutta.

Extract from the Proceedings of this Government in the Military Department, No. 28, dated 30th April 1858, and its enclosure, together with the orders passed thereon, dated 21st May 1858.

Ditto ditto No. 1498, dated 31st May 1858.

Ditto ditto No. 1601, dated 28th June 1858.

Statement of Peons and their Salaries in the Government Offices in Calcutta, prepared by the Financial Secretary.

Office Memorandum to the Military Auditor General, No. 3692, dated 8th July 1858.

Ditto ditto to the Civil Auditor, Fort William, No. 3693, dated 8th July 1858.

Ditto ditto to the Clerk of the Crown, No. 3694, dated 8th July 1858.

Reply from Military Auditor General to the above-mentioned Office Memorandum, No. 262, dated 23rd July 1858.

Reply from the Civil Auditor, Fort William, No. 1946, dated 16th July 1858.

RESOLUTION.—In June last the Hon'ble the President in Council observed, with reference to an application from the Adjutant General of the Army at this Presidency, for an increase to the Salaries of the Peons in the Presidency portion of his Office, from five to six Rupees per mensem, that some general rule should be established for this class of Servants, as it did not appear proper to pay Peons in some Offices at five, and in others at six, when all did the same work. His Honor in Council therefore desired that a systematic scheme of pay for Peons in Calcutta should be prepared.

The Financial Secretary has accordingly circulated a Statement of the Salaries allowed the Peons in the different Government Establishments at the Presidency, from which it appears that there are 576 Peons, at a total cost of Rupees 3,120-10-9, the Salaries ranging from four to nine Rupees per month.

Neither the Civil Auditor, Fort William, nor the Military Auditor General is able to explain why the rates of pay vary so much. His Honor in Council therefore concludes that the rates higher than the ordinary rate of five Rupees a month have been allowed without any particular reasons.

In order to keep the total expense within the aggregate sanctioned amount, His Honor in Council is pleased to resolve that the number of Peons in every Government Office shall be divided into two unequal parts, giving one-third of their number, six Rupees each, and the remaining two-thirds, five Rupees each. He observes, however, that in several of the Offices the number of Peons cannot be *exactly* divided in the above stated proportion. For example, there are in one Office twenty-three Peons, of whom seven would receive six Rupees each, and fourteen, five Rupees each, leaving two men unclassified. Again there is in one Office only one man. In another Office there are five men, of whom one would receive six Rupees, and two five Rupees each, leaving two men unclassified. In some Offices again there are only two men.

For all such cases His Honor in Council is pleased to rule that where one man remains over after division, he shall receive the higher rate of pay, and where two men remain over, the more deserving of them shall receive six, and the other man five Rupees a month.

His Honor in Council desires that the above arrangement may be introduced gradually as vacancies occur in existing Offices, and that it may be observed in any new Offices which may be sanctioned hereafter.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the Departments noted in the margin, and to the Government of Bengal for information and guidance, and for the issue of further necessary orders.

Ordered also, that a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments throughout India, the Mint Committee, the Accountant General to the Government of India, the Sub-Treasurer, and the Civil Auditor, Fort William, and the Secretary to the Government Savings Bank, respectively, for information and guidance.

Home Dept.
J. S. Jones
Registrar, Bengal Secretariat

Apr 27 1854
(Circular)

Copy forwarded to the Honorable Principal
Presidency College for information.

John Williams &
Messrs. Messrs. 3

W J Young
Director of Pub. Insts

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Admitted at the Hindu School
S. Perambalur

Prof. of Schools
S. Perambalur

To The Principal of the

Presidency College

Fort St. Johns dated 11th December 1856

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the orders of the Government of India communicated to the Education Department in letter No. 623 dated 11th April 1856 and the 2nd December 1856, I have awarded Shama Churn Mousa, a student of the Paikhaty Patshala with 300 per mensem Scholarships of Rs. 400 per mensem payable at the Hindu School

I have the honor to be

Yours truly
W. R. Tennant
Assistant Commissioner

Received of the Honorable Secretary of the
 Department of the Interior the sum of \$100.00
 for the purchase of a copy of the
 Report of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to the Education
 Department in 1836. Made at 111 No 111 Street
 and 27 December 1836. Respectedly,
 4 Years into the Service of two
 student on a period of August 1837
 Fort William the
 4th November 1838
 J. S. [Signature]
 E. S. [Signature]

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1755

The Principal of the Presidency College.

Sir

I have the honor by desire of the Director General Medical Department to request the favor of your forwarding Annually by the 1st of November or December, to this office a Quarterly Disposition Return of the Sub Assistant Surgeon attached to the Presidency College in the form herewith transmitted.

I beg to state that the Government is called for reports of the conduct and dispositions of all Sub Assistant Surgeons and that without these Returns the same cannot be supplied.

The Director General requests the favor of this Return as early as possible.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

Wm. Miller

Secy. Director General
Med. Dept.

For William

Director Genl. Office

1st November 1855

X²

Monday 14th June 1858
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 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the above named matter. I have the pleasure to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Yours truly,
 D. J. [Name] Principal of the [School Name]

The boys of the [School Name] School, beg most respectfully to beg to your indulgence, that on account of the ball day festival attending with a ceremony, be solicit your favor of granting a half holiday today.

I am Sir
 your most obed^t serv^t

No. 2731

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From

The Director of Public Instruction

To

W. Brennan Dudge

Principal Presidency College

Dated Fort William the 5th November 1855

Sir

In continuation of my letter No. 2348 dated 17th September last I have the honor to inform you that, on a fuller explanation of the circumstances of the case from Baboo Obhoy Churn Mullick the father of the lady, Omul Churn Mullick, the transfer of the letter from the Dacca to the Presidency College with his Junior Scholarship of Rs. 100 (8) eight months is sanctioned tenable at the latter Institution for the remainder of the present session.

Believe

to your intelligence

of the early days

with a view

I have

signed W. Gordon Young
Director of Public Instruction

No. 2731

Copy forwarded to the Officiating
Principal Presidency College for information
and guidance.

Fort William
the 5th November 1855

Director of Public Instruction

No. 2738

From the
Hon. Directors of Public Instruction

Mr. David Bruce Esq.
Officiating Principal Presidency College,
South Malabar State 12th November 1882

Sir,

With reference to the accompanying
copy of a letter from the Indian Secretary to
the Government of Madras, dated the 11th
ultimo with its inclosure, I have the honor to
request that you will inform me in what
way the connection of Mr. Bruce Esq. has changed
since with the Madras College and how far
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The last informant is that there
is no record in the office, in relation to the
individual is a resolution of the Council of
Education dated the 15th September 1882
to confirm the Resolution of the Council of
Management of the Madras College appointing
him as a Teacher of that Institution. Some resolutions
"for three months to enable him to resume his con-
nection with the Institution"

Yours faithfully
Sir

Your obedient servant
Edmond Young
Director of Public Instruction

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No. 1115

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 4th October 1858.

EDUCATION. SIR,

I AM directed to forward to you a copy of a Memorial* from Baboo Koylas Chunder Bose, formerly a Teacher of the Hindoo College, alleging that he was dismissed from his appointment in that College in 1843, *consequent on his conversion to Christianity*, and to request that you will be so good as to state the real facts of the Memorialist's case which appears to the Lieutenant-Governor to be represented in the Memorial without accuracy.

* Dated 25th ultimo.
Sic in original.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,



Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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From BABOO KOYLAS CHUNDER BOSE, late a Teacher of the Hindoo College, to A. R. YOUNG,
Esq., Secretary to the Government of Bengal,—(dated the 25th September 1858.)

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to address the accompanying Memorial to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, on the subject of the injustice done to me for becoming a Christian, which I beg you will be graciously pleased to lay before His Honor for consideration and orders.

Memorial of BABOO KOYLAS CHUNDER BOSE, late a Teacher of the Hindoo College, to the
HON'BLE F. J. HALLIDAY, Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,—(dated the 25th September 1858.)

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH,

THAT your Memorialist in the year 1848 was dismissed from the Hindoo College, consequent on his conversion to Christianity. As the tide of popular prejudice at that time was too strong, your Memorialist was compelled to give way to it, though his faith in his Redeemer gave him hopes at no distant period of resuscitating his case which for ten years was buried in oblivion.

That your Memorialist has not been disappointed of better days. The time has arrived when the question of the eligibility of Native Christians to Government Colleges and Schools, is no paradox but an historical fact, and when your Honor has been graciously pleased to call for returns of Native Christian employes in the Public Departments of Government.

That your Memorialist, who looks upon this event with less surprise than admiration at the interest which a Christian Government has at last been induced to take in the cause of Native Christian advancement, has taken advantage of such a favorable time to submit his case before your Honor.

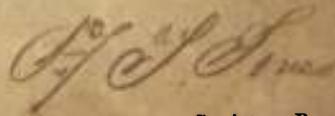
That your Memorialist has been subjected to a series of misfortunes and persecutions, subsequent to his being made a victim of Hindoo intolerance and bigotry, and subsequent to his being unable to share the sympathy even of the Council of Education, who sanctioned the decree of his dismissal from a College where he had taught with fame for more than eight years—is patent to all.

That your Memorialist has all along been under the impression, an impression which exists in the minds no less of the Europeans than the Hindoos, that your Memorialist's dismissal having been based upon a change of religious opinion, was an act of the grossest injustice that could be tolerated by a Christian Government.

That your Memorialist entertains a sanguine hope that your Honor will be graciously pleased to see him restored to his former post to which his character, experience and qualifications so strongly recommend him.

That in conclusion your Memorialist begs to state for the information of your Honor, that he had, ere applying to your Honor, pressed his claims before the Director of Public Instruction, with strong recommendations from H. Woodrow, Esquire, Inspector of Schools, East Bengal. His answer being unfavorable and unsatisfactory, your Memorialist has appealed to a higher tribunal for redress. Mr. Young is under a wrong impression that your Memorialist has applied for a post in the Education Department as a *new comer*, and he therefore does not recognize him as one who was unjustly dismissed from the College, and one whose claims upon him as the Director of Public Instruction are based upon his former connection with his Department, which he did not voluntarily resign—as well as upon the 1st Teachership Examination under Sir Edward Ryan, who gave your Memorialist (and the other Masters who still retain their posts without undergoing another examination under Mr. Young) a Certificate (which might be identified on a reference to the College Records) entitling your Memorialist to Rupees 150 per month.

True Copy,



Register, Bengal Secretariat.

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After the
 Exhibition dated 1800
 to request you will
 furnish me at your earliest
 with a ~~number~~ of the
 Exhibitor's names of the
 Exhibition holders of the said
 at the Presidency College of the
 ending 31st October 1800.
 Yours
 Samuel

Yours
 Wm
 Off

From
 J. Hallam, M.A. and D.: Phil:
 Professor of Natural Philosophy & Astronomy
 & Lecturer in charge of the
 Observatory
 Presidency College
 Calcutta, the 11th November 1851

Sir
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter N^o 191, dated the 8th instant with the Enclosed Copy of a communication from the Registrar to the Council of the University.
 In reply, I beg to say that I do not fully understand what is meant by the term "Descriptive", as distinguished from Descriptive and Physical Astronomy, as proposed in the First Book which has been presented to the College for three years. I thought and still do the first part of that book, treating on "Descriptive Astronomy" is meant as being sufficient to be taught to enable Candidates to pass the B.A. Examination.

I have the honor to be
 Sir
 Your most obedient Servant
 J. Hallam.

N^o 570

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From

Captain A. Impney

To

Off^r Civil Architect

E. Lodge Esq^r

Off^r Principal Deputy College

Sir,

Calcutta 12th Nov: 1858

In reply to your letter N^o 170
of 10th Instant, I have the honor to
inform you that the monthly rent
of the whole ground N^o 11 College
Street is Rupees 20-12-0.

I have the honor to

Sir
Your obed^t Serv^t

A. Impney Captⁿ
Off^r Civil Architect

From

The Secretary L. G. P. Instruction
Arab School

To

The Principal Presidency College
Aol Williams

Arab Government School
The 15th November 1857

Sir,

With reference to the circular
dated the 15th June 1855 of the Director Public Instruc-
tion. I have the honor to request the favor of your
furnishing me with a list of the scholarships
drawn by students of this school studying in your
college as no half yearly return is as yet
current can be made up with out it.

Yours truly

Sir

Your most obedient servant

[Signature]

Secy. L. G. P. Instruction
Arab School

Secretary Local Committee of
Public Instruction
Pulna

To
The Offg. Principal of the Presidency
College
Fort St. George

Dated Pulna, the 15th July 1852

Sir
The Memorandum of the amount
of Scholarship allowances in account
of the Exhibition holder, Spence (Charles) C.
-butty of the Pulna School, studying at
the Presidency College, to the sum of
31st July last, not having been received
I have the honor to request you will be
enough to expedite the transmission of it.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant
J. S. S. S.
Secy. L. C. C.

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No 2816

From

The Director of Public Instruction

To

E. Lodge Esq. M.A.

Officiating Principal Presidency College

Dated Fort William the 17th November 1858

Sir,

In reply to your letter No 197 dated the 11th Instant I have the honor to inform you that I have not been authorized by Government to convey to the students your reply to any order on the subject of the Memorial.

I have the honor to be
Your most obedient
W^m Ford
Director of Public Instruction



1836

To

W. Lodge Esq^r M. A.
Off^r Principal Presidency College

Sir

I have to apologise
 for ~~not~~ forwarding to you a
 formal report of the supplemental
 examination held by me in the
 first week of the year. I informed
 you verbally that the total number
 of examiners 100 were, in my opinion,
 fully entitled to the indulgence, con-
 ditionally granted them, of being
 restored to the status which they
 occupied when they severally left
 the first class of 1837 & 38, in consequence

of

difficult test of their ability to
cope with their fellow claspmen
notwithstanding the disadvantages
under which they laboured

The remaining four
have answered sufficiently; but
fall short of the merit of the first
named chiefly in less accurate
knowledge of English. Upon
this prevailing subject I have
already addressed you

Calcutta } I have the honor to be
18th Nov. 1850 } Sir

Your obedient servant

W. A. Morton

per L. J.

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No. 1773

FROM A. R. YOUNG, Esq.,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

To W. MASTERS, Esq.

Fort William, the 18th November 1858.

GENERAL,
Education.

SIR,
I AM directed to inform you that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint you to officiate as Assistant Professor of History and Political Economy in the Presidency College, during the absence on deputation of Mr. J. Saunders or until further orders.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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Copy for...
Instruction for information
For Mr. Masters
the 18th Nov/58
Office of the Secretary to the Government of Bengal
Fort William
18th Nov 1858
Received by Mr. Masters
the 18th Nov 1858

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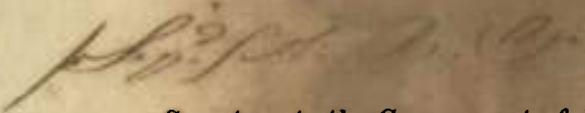
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SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,


Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

From

The Inspector of Schools

Carl Knyal

To

The Principal of the

Presidency College

Tot. William dated 19th Nov/88

Sir

I have the honor to inform you
 that I have awarded Mr. K. S. Soman
 Roy Choudry a student of the
 Bursar Vernacular School with
 a Scholarship of Rs. 100 per annum
 I shall feel obliged by your admitting
 him into the Vernacular School as he
 is desirous of holding his scholarship
 at that Institution.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours most obed^t Serv^t

W. S. Soman
 Inspector of Schools

From
 The Principal of the King's College,
 To
 Mr. Judge Esquire, B.A.
 Off. Principal of the Presidency College,
 Dated King's College 20th November 1857.

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will
 be good enough to furnish me with a Memoir of
 the Money drawn in the King's College of the Presidency
 College during the term of the last year to be
 in account of Mr. [Name] the Treasurer of
 this College, and debitable against the
 and also of the Scholarship Money drawn during
 the Quarter ending 31st October in behalf of
 Senior Scholar Rajkishore [Name] also
 debitable against this College.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your most obedient servant

Alfred Smith
 Principal

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From R. B. CHAPMAN, Esq., Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department,—
(No. 3622, dated the 9th November 1858.)

FORWARDED to the Government of Bengal with reference to Mr. Junior Secretary C. T. Buckland's letter No. 1467, dated 6th September 1858.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department,—No. 6022, dated the 29th October 1858.

READ the undermentioned papers regarding the salary of the Professor of Law in the Presidency College, Calcutta:—

Paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors' Financial Despatch No. 27 of 1858, dated 6th April, and the orders passed thereon in this Department.

Endorsement from the Home Department No. 3102, dated 14th September 1858, and its enclosures.

RESOLUTION.—Ordered, that the Home Department be informed that the remission of the retrenchment from Mr. Montrieu's salary as Professor of Law in the Presidency College, Calcutta, will be recommended to the Home Authorities.

Ordered also, that the original papers received from the Home Department be returned, copies being kept for record.

No. 11

COPY forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for information, with reference to this Office communication No. 1467 A, dated the 6th September last.

By Order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

FORT WILLIAM, }
The 17th November 1858.) Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 28

Copy forwarded to the Presidency College for information with reference to Mr. Montrieu in continuation of the order No. 2305 dated 14th September 1858.

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FORT WILLIAM,

[Signature]
The 17th November 1858.) Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

N^o 2871 195

From

The Director of Public Instruction,

To,

E. Lodge Esq. B.A.
Officiating Principal Presidency
College

Dated Fort William the 22nd November 1851

Sir,

In reply to your letter N^o 202
dated the 20th Instant I have the honor to say that
I am not aware of any such grant of ground
which I could recommend that the grant of ground
referred to therein should be credited in the
public Accounts in a different way from that
now adopted. —

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

W. M. G. Esq.

Director of Public Instruction

E. J. Keyser
Manchester, N. H.

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26th Nov. 1858

Honoured Sir

Having by a long suffering from a
 severe intermittent fever been obliged to leave the
 college, I beg most respectfully, that you will kindly
 grant me a certificate, stating in it only the class
 in which I was in and the equality of my position
 to the 3rd year general students; to this if any
 objection be raised I may plead that I was
 examined and found qualified ^{for the degree of B.A.} previous to my
 being admitted in the first year law department.
 I would not have wanted a certificate, but
 for the indispensability of its requisition on the
 occasion of my having forwarded an application
 as a candidate for the philosophy examination

Calcutta
 26th Nov.
 1858

I am Sir yours
 most obed. & dutiful student
 K. Choudhury

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No. 1771

FROM A. R. YOUNG, Esq.,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

To J. SAUNDERS, Esq.,

*Assistant Professor of History and Political Economy,
PRESIDENCY COLLEGE.*

Fort William, the 18th November 1858.

GENERAL, SIR,
Education.

I AM directed to inform you that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint you to officiate as Professor of English Language and Literature in the Presidency College, during the absence on leave of Mr. W. Grapel or until further orders.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. R. Young

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No 295

*Copy forwarded to the
Presidency College for information
Letter to Mr. Grapel dated 18th Nov 1858
J. Saunders
Fort William
18th Nov 1858*

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No.

FROM A. R. YOUNG, Esq.,

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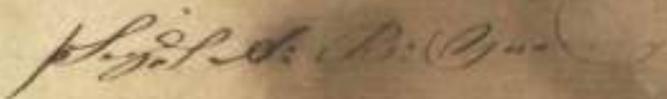
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I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,



Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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N. 2771

From,

The Director of Public Instruction,
to

E. Sedge Esq. B. A.

Principal Presidency College,

Fort William Dated 24 November 1858

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge
-ledge the receipt of your letter N. 281 dated
the 20th Instant, and upon your recommenda-
-tion to sanction the appointment of Babu
Kaly das Mookerjee as a second Master in the
Anglo Persian Department of the Presidency
College to be eighth Master of the Hindoo
School on a salary of Rs. 100 per month

Please return
this after perusal
yours

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most Obedt servant

Edward Munn
Director of Pub. Instruction

please
return
with
a
copy

Received in Office Memorandum
of the 24th of the month of the 20th
1838 from the Secretary of Public
Instruction to the effect that the
Honourable Secretary

has been informed that
Mr M. [Name] is present
Master of the [School] and is
that he has been [Name] of [Name]
as third Master of [Name]
School on a [Name] [Name]

+ 1/2	Half Salary of the third	
	Masterhip Brindley School	75
	Half Salary of the third	
	Masterhip Hoagly School	100
	School.	<hr/>
		175

Copy forwarded to the [Name] [Name]
with the request that he will be so good
as to [Name] [Name] [Name]

Director of Public Instruction

Kenner School

30th November 1858

Sir

I have the honour to inform you that Peter Kelly Esq. Proctor, whose letter of appointment to the 8th class has been shown to me, has this day reported himself and is posted to his class

I have the honour to be

Yours faithfully

Wm. M. M. M.
Bedford St.

E. Lodge
Proctor

7/2

C. Lodge Esq.

Off^r Principal Presidency College

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I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the resolution of the Board of Directors (P. C.) to be communicated to the students of the Law Dept. the resolution of the Board, that all students (probation candidates for University Degrees or not) whose conduct and proficiency should be approved by the Professors, and the College, at the close of their 3rd year's study, should receive a certificate of such approval, analogous to, and conforming the form of, the one furnished to the candidates at the law examination of March 1854, at the School of Law.

No. 3300

From

James F. M. Chaltee

Spitt. fuel Auditor

To

D. S. [unclear]

Off. Principal

Quincy College
Quincy, Ill. Nov. 1850.

Sir,

Before auditing the
supplementary bill of the Kinder
School for the month of September
1850, I shall esteem it a favor
if you will furnish me with a
copy of the Director's order concerning

Yours

the officiating arrangement consequent
on the resignation of the 3^d master
of the Institution.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obed^t Serv^t

Wm L. Atteridge

Scott's Civil Auditor

N^o 1181

To

G. Young Esq^r
Director General of
Public Instruction
Calcutta

Dated 2nd December 1858

Sir,

The third Writership of
this office having become vacant
I have the honor to request the favor
of your letting me know if you are
aware of any person of suitable
holder who would be desirous to hold the
appointment. The salary of the vacant
post is Rupees 300 per annum and
I am desirous of conferring it upon
an intelligent and steady youth pos-
-sessing a fair knowledge of the
English language.

Junlook 3
Salt Office

I have
S. J. R. Hampton
Agent

N^o 2475
(Circular)

(Copy forwarded to the off^y of the Principal
Secretary)

Oct. 29/71

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Sir,

The Director of Public Instruction,

Calcutta.

C. J. Sanyal Esq. M.A.
Officiating Principal, Presidency College,
Fort William, dated 22nd December 1910.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 22nd date
1st instant I have the honor to inform you that
W. A. Montrose's absence from the college
for twenty days, as being on the sick leave
reported, in accordance with the provisions of his appoin-
tment.

Yours faithfully,

Your most obedient servant,

W. J. Sanyal
Director of Public Instruction

From F. J. MOUAT, Esq., Inspector General of Jails, Lower Provinces, to C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq., Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,—(No. 2057, dated the 22nd October 1858.)

SIR,

THE printing of all Government form work being now executed at the Alipore Jail Press, it is absolutely necessary, with a view to prevent delay, confusion and waste that some regular form of indent for Tabular Statements and Forms of all kinds should be adopted.

2. Those which are permanent might then be kept in store to supply indents without delay, which would admit of all urgent and emergent work receiving immediate attention.

3. The form of indent which I venture to suggest, is the following:—

Indent on the Alipore Jail Press, for Forms required for the use of the

Description of Forms.	Number required for a year's consumption.	Number received on indent of.	Balance in hand at this date.	Number now in-hand for.	REMARKS.

4. I have received from the Director-General of the Post Office a tabular list of the probable annual consumption of Forms in that Department. Those that are required in very large numbers will be kept in store to meet all demands quickly. All that are permanent will also be printed in such quantities as to be ready for issue at all times. By this means the Post Office work, which is very heavy, will be executed without distress to the Jail Press, and without delay to that Department.

5. If the Sudder Board of Revenue and the Sudder Dewanny Court would in like manner send a list of all Revenue and Judicial forms approved by them, with a statement of the probable annual demand, and would prohibit the use of all other Forms for the same purposes, they also could be printed in such numbers as to be kept in store, to meet all demands quickly.

6. The labor of the Press would by this means be much diminished. Valuable type would not be locked up unnecessarily, and all urgent demands could be more readily met than is possible in the existing plan, which is without order, method, or regularity.

7. The Small Cause Court, Marine Department and Military Department also consume large number of Forms. They might likewise be dealt with in the same manner.

8. I beg therefore to recommend that a Circular Order to the above effect be issued.

True Copy,

THOMAS JONES,

Register, Bengal Secretariat.

No. 2963
Circular

Copy forwarded to the appropriate
Committee for their consideration and guidance.

W. J. [Signature]

W. J. [Signature]

Director of Public Instruction

No.

FROM A. R. YOUNG, Esq.,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 4th December 1858.

GENERAL. SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2908, dated the 24th ultimo, and in reply to state that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to pass the Bills submitted by you, amounting in the aggregate to Rs. (1169-5-3) eleven hundred and sixty-nine, five Annas and three Pie, on account of expense incurred in illuminating the Buildings noted in the margin, on the occasion of the Assumption of the Government of India by Her Majesty.

1 Bill for Presidency College and Colootolah Branch School	555	0	0
1 Ditto for Medical College ...	171	14	0
1 Ditto for Calcutta Madrussa	450	0	0
1 Ditto for Office of Director of Public Instruction...	19	4	0
Total, Rs.	1169	5	3

2. The Bills in question are herewith returned.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. R. Young

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Copy forwarded to the ...
Take per information ...
Which ...
...

Extract from an Office Memorandum No. 309
dated the 14th of December 1856 from the Director
of Public Instruction to the Officer in Charge of the
English Language and Literature Presidency College

M. H. J. ...
the holder of a Teacher's Certificate of the 1st class grade
under the old Rules and at present officiating as a
English Language and Literature ... is informed that
he has been appointed off. ...
on a Salary of Rupees 175/-
per month.

That ...
at ...
at ...

No. 309
Copy forwarded to the
Presidency College for information
Fort William
The 14th Decr 1856 } of ...
Director of Public Instruction

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N^o 3187

From
The Director of Public Instruction
to
G. Lodge Esq^r W. A.
Officiating Principal Presidency
Fort Williams dated the 15th September 1858

On the subject
of the
of the
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I have the honor to draw your attention
to my letter N^o 2441 dated the 4th of the
last, and to request that you will favor me with
a reply to the same, at your earliest convenience.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servant
[Signature]
Director of Public Instruction.

CA 2112

From
The Secretary of Public Instruction

To
J. S. Gillette, Esq., M.A.
Principal, Presidency College
Fort St. George, Madras, 11th December 1888.

Sir,
I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your proposal of the 14th Instant.

2^d In the absence of the Lieutenant Governor from the Presidency having before me no special reasons regarding the two ^{alone} ~~years~~ reports, I regret that I am unable to entertain a proposal which, of considerable importance, should be considered and dealt with by Government as one affecting the Colleges generally.

I have the honor to remain
Sir,
Your most obedient
W. S. Gillette
Secretary of Pub. Inst.

From

Mr. Mallens M. D.
Prof. of Natural Philosophy & Astronomy
Presidency College

To

J. Lubbock Esq
Principal of the Presidency College

Dated the 14th December 1858

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of the letters nos 230 & 233
dated the 7th & 11th inst from E. Lodge Esq
Off. Principal of the Presidency College,
requesting me to state whether I in-
clude in my course of "Descriptive
Astronomy," mathematical
demonstrations & proofs, also
the theory & use of instruments.

In reply I beg to state that
I include in my course of descriptive
Astronomy the whole of astro-
nomical sciences, including the theory

and

of the instruments used in the study of the same.

and use of instruments, but without
mathematical demonstrations or
mathematical proofs, as I am
no mathematician.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
J. Waller

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N. 3149

From,
The Director of Public Instruction,
To,

A. Sutcliffe Esq. M. A.
Principal Presidency College,
Fort William

Dated 21 December 1885

Sir,

With reference to paragraph
1 of your letter N. 287 dated 16th Instant I have
the honor to observe that the dates on which the
several appointments herein referred to took
effect are not mentioned and to request that you
will favor me with complete information on
the subject showing the months and dates as
well as the periods during which the parties
named in your letter officiated in the several
appointments.

2 The bill which accompanied your letter
under reply is returned herewith as it is
usual or necessary for this office to pass
Salary bills.

I have the honor to be
Your most ^{obedient} servant
John Murray
Director of Pub. Instruction

Her Majesty's Government in India D^r

To the additional Salaries due to the undermentioned officers consequent on the B. Mastership of the Hindoo School remaining vacant in the month of September 1838

Sabro Dwarshamath (Successor) of Master officiating as B. Master for 21 days @ 75 being half the Salary of the Office 52 8 -

Do. half his own Salary as of Master for 21 days @ 29 17 8 -

Do. his own Salary as of Master for 9 days @ 15 15 -

35 -

Debit already drawn in the Abstract for Sept. 38 50 - 85

Sabro Sudowinath Saha 11 Marks officiating as of Master for 21 days @ 25 per month being half the Salary of the Office 17 8 -

Do. his own Salary as 11 Marks for 21 days 10 8 -

Do. his own Salary as 11 Marks for 9 days @ 9 9 -

37 -

Debit already drawn in the abstract for Sept. 38 30 - 117

Sabro Romanath Bose officiating 11 Marks for 16 days - C157 8 -

Total Rupees 50

Received Payment

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Residency of Mysore
the 10th Decr 1838

Principal Secy

N. 3166

From,
The Director of Public Instruction,
To,

J. S. Chittick Esq. M.A.
Principal Presidency College.

Fort St. George, Madras 22 December 1868

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter dated 21st Instant
and to sanction the appointment from the 2nd
Instant of Babu Chittick Chatterjee to be
Librarian of the Presidency College on a salary
of Rupees (30) thirty per month.

The Government Remissory note referred
to in your letter under copy may be deposited
in your office.

I have the honor to be,
Sir

Your most Obedt Servant

J. S. Chittick
Director of Pub. Instruction

To

The Principal of the
University College

Sir

I have the honor to
a favor of your letter of 9th inst
inform me what amount was given
to Thomas Chamberlain a
pendiary student of the College
Breach school for the benefit of the
C. Chamberlain

I have the honor to
The Principal
Yours most obedient
W^m Chamberlain
Head Master

No 127

From

The Inspector of Schools, West Bengal

To

The Principal of the Presidency College

Calcutta, dated 6 January 1859.

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will be good enough to inform me at your earliest convenience of the date on which Baboo Kalidas Chatterjee, present Librarian of the College, under your control, has taken charge of his duties.

I am, Sir, respectfully,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

[Signature]

Inspector of Schools
West Bengal

No 10

From

The Inspector of Schools

To

The Principal of the Presidency
College

Fort William Dated 6 January 1841

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that
 in accordance with the orders of the Government
 of India communicated to the Education Depart-
 ment in Letters No 202 Dated 11 April 1840
 Dated the 3^d December 1840 I have awarded the
 Students named in the accompanying Statement
 with Vernacular Scholarships of Rs 500
 per mensem ^{to be paid} for the period specified
 against their names in the enclosed Statement
 school.

I shall feel obliged by your
 issuing the necessary orders for this purpose.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servt

H. W. A. Brown
Inspector of Schools

Names of Scholars from Vernacular Schools and of the time for which they were admitted to be 12 their scholarships the stipends being in all cases four Rupees a Month and 1000 lbs. The Cochootlak Branch School sanctioned by the Government of India in Letters N^o 623 Dated 11th April 3rd 1411 of the 3rd December 1856.

Review in 1858 & terms of being on the following month	No.	Name	Age on Appointment	School	Where teachable Remarks
30 th September 1861	1	Chandrasekhar Ghosh	20	Cochootlak	Collected B. School
30 th September 1860	2	Chandrasekhar Ghosh	13	Cochootlak	Ditto
30 th September 1862	3	Jyotshankar Ghosh	13	Cochootlak	Ditto
Ditto	4	Chandrasekhar Ghosh	13	Cochootlak	Ditto
Ditto	5	Chandrasekhar Ghosh	13	Cochootlak	Ditto

Chandrasekhar Ghosh
 Inspector of Schools

9th Dec 1861

Dear Sir
The

I
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... ..

Sir
I
Have the honor
by you in the
Gregory's joining
in September
subsequent transfer
Vizt.

Walter
Master
Master from
... ..
to officiate
... ..
... ..
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No. 4.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William the 8th January 1859.

EDUCATION. SIR,

I AM directed by the Lieutenant-Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2475, dated the 1st October last, with its enclosure, recommending as a special case the grant of a Superannuation Pension to Baboo Seetaram Mookerjee, a Sircar on the Establishment of the Presidency College, and in reply to inform you that the Hon'ble the President in Council has declined to sanction the Pension solicited.

2. His Honor in Council, however, has been pleased to allow the Applicant a gratuity equal to six months of his pay at the time he resigned his situation.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Copy forwarded to the President of the Presidency College for information and guidance with reference to his office letter No. 150 dated 16 September last.

*Fort William
The 15th January 1859*

Director of Public Instruction

No. 4.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William the 8th January 1859.

EDUCATION. SIR,

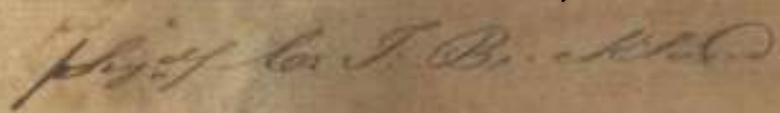
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2. His Honor in Council, however, has been pleased to allow the Applicant a gratuity equal to six months of his pay at the time he resigned his situation.

I have the honor to

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,



Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

1841
The Director of Public Instruction

To
J. S. Salter Esq. M.A.
President of Presidency College

Calcutta 17th of January 1841
Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge your letter of the 29th ult. and in answer to inform you that I have no objection in stating for the purpose of the Law Students that such students who complete their College course satisfactorily and exhibit creditable proficiency in all the prescribed subjects, should be deemed to have completed the same kind as those who are granted so much of the 3rd year's study as is not dispensed under the terms of any Act passed dated 3rd of June 1838.

I am, Sir,
Your most obedt. servant
J. S. Salter
Director of Pub. Instruction

No. 38

(Circular)

From,

The Director of Public Instruction

To,

J. M. [unclear] [unclear]

Respected Sir,

Dated 26 January 1909

Reference is made to the [unclear] of the change in the period of [unclear] University Examinations and in view of the [unclear] of [unclear] of most of the [unclear] and with the recommendation [unclear] the Government has directed that [unclear] regarding the Colleges for [unclear] and the [unclear] Schools, in place of [unclear] days was given in April and [unclear] the two days at least there may be [unclear] of [unclear] days during [unclear] vacation [unclear] month at [unclear] immediately after [unclear] conclusion of the University Entrance Examinations.

The [unclear] holidays will remain as [unclear] present [unclear], that is as specified in the [unclear]

Office Memo

I forwarded for the information and guidance of the
 Head Masters of the Board of Public Schools
 the accompanying Circulars from the Director of
 Pub. Instruction No. 1488 dated respectively
 19 and 24 June 1887 with the request that
 they may be returned to this office after looking
 them over -

M. L. Wolfe

Residency College }
 The 27 July 1889 }

Resident Director

To
 The
 Honorable
 Secretary
 of the
 War
 Department
 Washington
 D.C.

Sir,

In reply to your letter
 No. 251 of the 10th inst. I have
 the honor to acknowledge
 with the same
 Nath Chatham
 Colcotollah
 nominati
 appoint

Very
 respectfully
 Yours
 J. M.

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Sir
 of the Sale
 have the good
 pleasure
 of Mr. Lushington
 exhibition held
 during the
 quarter end

W. Lushington

N^o 139

From,

The Director of Public Instruction

To,

J. S. M. Esq. M. A.

Principal Presidency College

Fort William Calcutta 28 January 1857

Sir,

Reference to your letter

N^o 256 of the 21st inst. in the honor to state that under the circumstances mentioned therein I see no objection to allowing students in the position of the one referred to by you to be nominated for senior scholarships in the Bagh-o-Bahar.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your Obedt Servant

Director of Public Instruction

N. 146

(Circular)

From,

The Director of Public Instruction

To,

S. J. College, Mysore

Memorandum Dated 29 January 1909

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will at your earliest convenience send me a list of the second year students of your College whom you propose to send this year to compete for Senior Scholarships together with a list of the subjects studied by them during the last two years. You will also be obliged by suggesting the days on which you would prefer that the Senior Scholarship Examination be held.

List of Students proposed for examination

result of examination during certain of the past few years

2 You will not fail to send in your report immediately on the conclusion of the College examinations this year, a memorandum of the results of the same as far as it may affect the selection or forfeiture of all the scholarships senior and Junior now being held at your College.

I have the honor to be

Sirs

Your most Obedient

Servant

John M. Instruction

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... of the ...
... the ...

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From The Inspector of Schools, East Bengal.

To The Principal, Presidency College,
Fort William, Calcutta, January 1857.

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that Ram Chandra and Sitta Nath Ghose of the Nabadiah Anglika School, have been awarded with Free Scholarships established under the orders of the Govt of Bengal, as notified to the Education Department in letter of S.O. dated 27th August 1857. In conformity with these orders, I have the honor to request that they may be admitted as Free Students to the Colootollah Boarding School for two years from the date of their joining that institution.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedt. Servant.

A. C. [Signature]
Inspector of Schools.

From the Principal of the Queen's College

to Mr. Sutcliffe Esq. M.A.

Principal of the Presidency College,
Calcutta

Sir,

Dutch Door, 9th February 1859

I have the honor to request the favor
of your supplying me with a statement of the
charges incurred by the Government of the
Scholarships of the Queen's College for the Quarter ending
31st October 1858. I have to inform you that the bill
at the termination of that quarter as the bill had
not then been audited and passed. See Mr. Lodge's
letter N^o 194 dated 27th December 1858.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,
W. Brennan
Principal

Extract from letter N. 205 dated 10 February
1859 from the Director of Public Instruction
to the Hon. Secy. Com. Public
Instruction, Washington.

It is wished it to be understood
that I am not disposed to view very favorably
the acceptance, by a member of a College, of any
office or occupation which may involve his
absenting himself from the college proper studies
at a time when his services cannot well be
spared. And if such a course is to be permitted
at all, it can only be on condition that the
regular duties of the member be provided
for without detriment or inconvenience to
the College, and at the charge of the absentee.

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Cop. forwarded to the President
Presidency College for information.

Wm. M. Williams
The 10. July 1859

Director of Pub. Instruction

P. 231
(enclosed)

From
The Director of Public Instruction
To

I Subbiff Esq. M.A.
Vice-Chancellor
St. Paul's College
Madras dated 13th February 1859.

Sir,

Referring to the subject of your letter
3^d instant I have the honor to inform you that the
Senior Scholars Examination this year will
commence on Saturday the 2^d April next and
I request you will be good enough to make
arrangements accordingly.

I am Sir, your obedient servant

Yours faithfully
W. J. ...
Director of Public Instruction

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From
The Director of Public Instruction

to
Mr. Sutcliffe Esq. M.A.

Principal of the Academy, Valley
Road, Colchester

Sir

I have the honor to understand that
in consequence of a petition of the Clergy
being full to the Academy, every application
for admission to the Academy and Colchester schools has
during the present session been
refused, I have the honor to request
that you will inform me whether the fact
is so, and, if so, that you will now supply
the omission, and state why the fact has
not been reported in accordance with
Circular No. 11 dated 1st 1828

I should be pleased to hear from you
Yours faithfully
W. L. G. G. G.
Director of Public Instruction

a paper record out of it. And they
you will surely see in a few
their negligence which was probably
owing to my having fallen sick
suddenly after receiving my
in two weeks.

Wrote reference to the
Candidates for admission in the
Board of the session. They state
that not having any records on
the point, I cannot say anything
definitely. Only to say I am
you for me say that altogether
50 or 60 candidates did not get
admission, some of whom were
referred admission on account of some
of the classes being full, and the
rest were found unqualified.

I remain, Sir,
L. J. Feb 1859. Your most
Obedt Servant
Henry Clay

They could not be expected to
make up their deficiencies
before the examination, and
they were refused admission.
The two candidates would
as having come from the
not receive admission. But they
The names of the three
Applicants sent out were that
they would pay the school after
the examination.

As charges never the
you to keep a record of
Candidates who do not
get admission did not think
of it. Since your directing me
to see the last of the
and I think the
perhaps you do not as the
particular were not
of the I did not attempt to

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~~Statement of the~~
~~Board of Trustees~~
~~of the~~
~~University of~~
~~the State of~~
~~Ohio~~
~~for the~~
~~Year~~
~~1859~~
 Dear Sir,
 I have not refused
 of any boys for
 you returned. I
 a boy applied for admission
 to the fifth class and was rejected
 because he was not fully
 up to the standard at a time
 when the examination was partly
 because the class was full then
 full class.
 I have as carefully as possible
 considered all the circumstances of
 getting boys during the session from
 overcrowding in the classes, and
 also consulted the masters of the
 several classes on the subject.

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J. Schifferley
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Abstract Account Current of the Presidency College for the Quarter ending 31 January 1857

Credit

Debit

Assignment from the Government Funds as follows
 Establishment sanctioned as per letter from the Government of Bengal No 189 dated 10th April 1854 — 9220-0-0
 do on account of
 Scholarships — 299-0-0
 do Book Allowance — 100-0-0

Amount of Instructional Establishment for the Quarter — 17222-13-0
 Apparatus — 905-10-0
 Allowance for the College 360-0-0
 Contingent charges for the Quarter — 102-0-0
 Scholarships for the Quarter 1307-11-9

Deduct amount allowed for the Professorship and Assistant Professorship of Civil Engineering which has been separated — 1080-0-0
 per month at Rs 900-0-0 or per quarter — 25017-0-0

Total Rs 24705-11-0

Schooling fees realized during the Quarter as per Sub Treasurers Receipts already forwarded — 2680

Total Rupees 27677-0-0
 Deduct Debit — 2680-0-0
 Balance at Credit of the College in this Quarter — 25017-0-0
 Add Balance at Credit of the last Quarter — 15712-5-4
 Total Balance at Credit of the College in this and last quarter — 40729-5-4

Sublime

Principal of the College

Respectfully

Abstract Account of the Colchester Branch School for the Quarter ending 31 January 1839

Credit

Debit

Assignment from the Education Funds for the Quarter 1838-9 for schooling fees realized during the Quarter as per Sub Treasurer Receipts already forwarded 6028

Amount of Vote allowed for the Quarter including the proportion of Principal's Salary 4213 5 2
Disfranchisement charges for the Quarter 106 10
Scholarship for the Quarter 95 7 1
Cost of books for the Quarter 26 8
Books and paper 24

Total Receipts 7191 8
Deoned Debit 3523 2 3
Balance at Credit of the School in this Quarter 3668 5 9
Add balance at Credit of the last Quarter 7166 12 0
Total balance at Credit of the School in this and last Quarter 10834 7 9

Total Receipts 3523 2 3

Mitchell

Principal

Presidency College
the 17th Feb 1839

From
The Secretary to the
Government of Bengal

to the Secretary of the Institution
of Education
Sri...

I have directed to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the 12th
Instant, soliciting the decision of the
Government on the following points.

1st Whether the Head Masters of
Government Vernacular Schools are entitled
to pension after 15 and 20 years service
2nd of what grade of Schools are the
Head Teachers entitled to the privilege referred
to, and.

3rd The Professors of Colleges are entitled
to the privilege of pension on the same terms
to period of service as the Principals of
Colleges and what subject.

I have referred to the 1st and 2nd points
I am desired to state that the Government is of
opinion

opinion that the Hon. Board of Government
Honorables should be allowed to pass in
after a service of 15 or 20 years that the privilege
is intended for the Hon. Board of Government
schools to which the rule is applicable.
On the 1st of Dec. 1857 I was
to state that a recommendation will be made
to the Government of India recommending
the extension of the rule in all which
the courts and native Judges are allowed
to serve in the Professors of Government Colleges.

I have &c
H. C. S. Buckland
Secretary to the Govt
of Bengal

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Copy forwarded to the Principal
of Government College for information.

W. Ford

Secretary to the Govt

W. Ford
Secretary to the Govt

From the Director of Public Instruction

To Mr. W. H. ...
Presidency College
Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to request that from the opening of next session (that is from the 1st Proximo) the following rates of school-fee may be levied in the Hindoo and Colootollah Schools, in lieu of the rates now prevailing:-

Hindoo School, Presidency College
a month.

Colootollah School, Presidency College
five a month.

2 You will be so good as to give notice of the change, as soon as possible, to those concerned.

I have the honor to be

Your Obedt Servant

W. H. ...

Director of Pub. In. ...

St. 119
 Dear Sir
 The Secretary of the Public Instruction
 Department
 No. 1, College Street, Calcutta
 11th March 1859

Sir,
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt
 of your letter No. 294, dated 21st Feb. and in reply to say
 that considering the grave nature of the offence of
 + *Heramba Chandra Ghose* } which the ladies marginally named have
Chamranath Roy } been guilty and the necessity for adopting the
 most severe measures for preventing its recurrence, there are
 grounds for committing the penalty of expulsion justly
 inflicted by you, to one of disgrace.

I am, Sir,
 Your obedient servant
 J. H. ...
 Secretary of Public Instruction

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1842
The Director of Public Instruction
To
W. H. Schiffer, Esq. M. A.
President of the Presidency College

Fort William dated 9th March 1842

Sir,
In reply to your letter of the 3rd dated 25th ultimo I have the honor to inform of your having adopted measures in accordance with the directions contained in Circular of the 1st April 1838 will be more carefully attended to than was the case for some months after the issue of that Circular.

2 You will have heard from my former letter of the 11th inst. that it is my intention to send a pair of the new books to the High School and to the other schools in the district where they are required.

Received your letter No 36 dated
the 14th inst from the Principal of the
Madras College the Director of Public
Instruction

The English & Persian Departments of the
Calcutta Madrassa are to be examined in English
and Bengali by examiners recommended by you
on any day or days between the 25th February
and 5th April (on which day the Bengali exam-
inances) most convenient to the examiners.
Mr Saunders and Baboo Ram Chunder Mitter
have examined in these subjects for the last
three years, and will, if their names are recom-
mended for these duties be better able to certify
if the Department has made progress or not
within the year.

No 37

Copy forwarded to the Principal of the
College with a request that should there be any
objection he will make arrangements for
complying with Capt. S's application.

In witness whereof
I have signed my
hand and seal
Director of Public Instruction

RULES

REGARDING

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE PRIMARY CLASS

OF THE

Medical College.

*As sanctioned by Government Order, No. 9, dated
10th January 1859.*

The expenditure on Scholarships of the Primary Class is limited to Rupees (400) four hundred a month, and this sum shall ordinarily be distributed among the Students of the five years as follows :—

To *5th year Students, 6 Senior Scholarships, at 12 Rs. a month,	72 0 0
To *4th year Students, 7 Senior Scholarships, at 12 Rs. a month,	84 0 0
To *3rd year Students, 7 Senior Scholarships, at 12 Rs. a month,	84 0 0
To 2nd do. do. Augmentation Stipends, at Rs. 2, and Junior Scholarships Rs. 8 a month, in such number as not to exceed on the whole,	80 0 0
To 1st do. do. do. do.,	80 0 0
<hr/> Total per Mensem,	<hr/> 400 0 0

* For Students of these 3 years University Scholarships are also available, and for those of the 5th year the Goodeve Scholarship likewise.

2. The Augmentation stipends here referred to are allowances given to lads who bring Scholarships with them from other Institutions ; and in such cases both Scholarship and Augmentation allowance are to be drawn.

3. The Senior Scholarships shall be awarded according to the results of the " 1st Examination " for the Degree of Licentiate. But they shall not be awarded to Students who gain University Scholarships at such Examination. They are tenable for 3 years, on condition that the conduct and progress of the holder are satisfactory.

4. The Junior Scholarships shall be awarded either upon the published results of the University Entrance Examination, or on a special Examination to be held for the purpose, according as may be found from time to time most convenient. They are tenable for 2 years on the like condition as above.

5. In the event of a Scholarship being forfeited, the amount already drawn shall not be liable to be refunded by the holder.

6. Any Scholarship falling vacant by the death, resignation, &c. of the holder may be awarded to the Student of the same term next in order of merit, who may be without a Scholarship, and may be possessed of the requisite qualifications.

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7. The Goodeve Scholarship (value Rupees 12 a month) may be held in conjunction with any Scholarship awarded under these Rules.

(Signed) W. GORDON YOUNG,
Director of Public Instruction.

(True Copy,)

W. C. B. EATWELL, M. D.,
Principal Medical College.

MEDICAL COLLEGE, CALCUTTA :)

1859.

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Extract from an Office Memorandum, No. 307
dated the 14th March 1859 from the Director
of Public Instruction to the 11th Master Hindu
School.

Baboo Swarna Nath Choudhary
the holder of a Teacher's Certificate of the second grade
under the revised Rules, and at present 11th
Master of the Hindu School - is informed that
he has been appointed Second Master of the Hindu School
on a Salary of Rupees (60) sixty
a month.

No. 31

Copy forwarded to the Principal of the
Presidency College for information with a request that
he will recommend a fit person for the 11th Master
in the Hindu School with due reference to the system
contained in my letter No. 101 dated November 3rd 1858.

W. S. Williams
Director of Public Instruction
14th March 1859

28/7/85

From
 Dublin
 To
 Sir,
 The Principal of the
 Presidency College,
 Ser,

In returning the accompanying
 Bill, I beg to acquaint you that as Mr.
 W. Musters 3rd Master of the Kings College,
 College, was transferred, while off of the
 of Literature of the Presidency College, to
 the Dacca College, his half salary for the
 8 days of February last should be drawn
 by the Principal of the Kings College.
 From 7th the date on which he was trans-
 ferred, to Dacca, to the end of the month -
 that Gentlemans salary should be drawn
 by the Principal of that College.

Fort William
 Civilian Staff
 W. Musters

I have the honor to
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 Your Most Obedt
 Wm Lockyer
 Asst. Civilian

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Secretary of State in Council of India - Do

To the balance of the account of being half of
his salary as Assistant Teacher of
College of the month of February 1859 100

Total Rupees 100

Received Payment

Presidency College }
The 1st March 1859 }

Principal Presidency College

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No. 123.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 10th March 1859.

Education.

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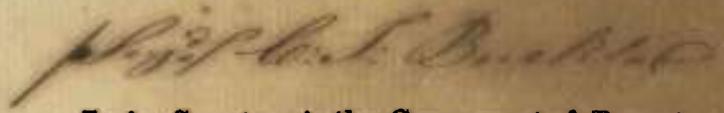
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2. The Bill will be adjusted on presentation to the Military Auditor General.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,



Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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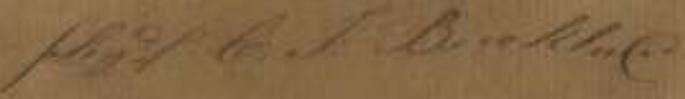
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Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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Sir
The Director of Public Instruction

10 Whitehall Square, N. W.
University of Pennsylvania College
Philadelphia, Pa. U. S. A.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st current and in reply to authorize you to lend books from the College Library to the two gentlemen as printed under such restrictions and conditions as may seem to you proper.

I have the honor to be

Sr

Your Most Obedt Servant

Wm Johnson

Director of Public Instruction

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N^o 891

(Circular)

From

The Director of Public Instruction

To

J. S. Cliffe Esq^r M. A.

Principal Presidency College

Fort William (Dated 25 March 1889)

Sir,

I have the honor to forward

+ Letter from Mr. G. Baker to herewith printed copies of letters -
Lord Stanley dated 11 October 1888
Prof. Wm. Duckland to my
add. ref. N^o 72 dated 12 February
1889.

herewith printed copies of letters -
as per margin together with the books
referred to therein and to request

that you will be so good as to report on the
points mentioned by Mr. Duckland.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obedt Servant

Lord Stanley

Director of Pub Instruction

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BOOKS FOR INDIA.

A LETTER TO THE RIGHT HON. LORD STANLEY.

From CHARLES BAKER, Esquire, Headmaster of the Yorkshire Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Author of the "*Circle of Knowledge*," &c., to the Right Hon'ble Lord STANLEY, Secretary of State and President for India, dated Doncaster, the 11th October 1858.

MY LORD,

In submitting to your Lordship's consideration the accompanying series of Elementary Books, I am afraid of being thought intrusive at a time when your Lordship's mind must be occupied with matters of the very highest importance connected with Her Majesty's Eastern dominions.

Among other subjects pressing on your Lordship's notice with reference to India, that of Education will be regarded with no ordinary interest, and the consideration of what school books shall be sanctioned by the Council, will, though of minor importance, receive your attention.

Your Lordship is aware that the generality of the Easy Reading Books on the list of the Committee of Council, and those of the Religious and Educational Societies in this country are not acceptable in India, inasmuch as they do not preserve that neutrality in religious matters which has been called for by many influential natives, while the well-informed Hindoos, Parsees, &c., do not object to books written in a religious spirit, which are free from Sectarian views and allusions.

I therefore unhesitatingly offer the "*Circle of Knowledge*" to your Lordship's notice, as a work free from those objections which have been raised against the Irish School Books, and the series of Chambers, Mc'Culloch, and others. In doing so I beg to state that this series is on the schedule of school books of the Committee of Council on Education, that the demand in England reaches nearly 15,000 copies annually, that supplies have been sent to India, the Mauritius, Barbadoes, and other Colonies, and also to China. With regard to China, these books are not only used in their English form, but one of them has been translated into the Chinese language, and published for the schools of native children.

A short notice of the object of these books, and their philological construction, will account in some degree for their favorable reception in England, their translation into the Chinese language, and, at the same time, show their adaptation for the instruction of both natives and colonists abroad.

The series consists of lessons in three successive gradations, adapted for children at different stages of advancement; each of which comprises twenty-four sections, sequentially arranged, which are pretty fully treated upon in the highest of these gradations; each section being generally extended over eight or ten lessons. The titles of the sections at the end of this letter will show that the work is a Compendium of Common Knowledge.

In the Preface to the first edition, published in 1847, it was stated that "Subjects have been selected such as all children are interested in, such as they continually ask questions about, and such as are illustrated by pictures in popular works, easily accessible to teachers and parents. Great pains have been taken to exclude everything that might be considered cold and lifeless, to create an interest for COMMON THINGS, and every-day life, and to make all the lessons natural and animating."

The first gradation of the *Circle of Knowledge* was written for deaf and dumb pupils, possessing only a limited acquaintance with language, as a first Reading book of connected sentences on various branches of knowledge, to follow their exercises on nouns, adjectives, verbs, and other words expressive of sensible ideas. It was composed for the express purpose of introducing notions of sensible things in a connected form, with much regard to the imperfections of the sign-language of the deaf and dumb, which consists, like many of the Asiatic languages, of radical signs, admitting neither of inflexion nor composition. In such a language, whether of signs, as that of the deaf and dumb, or of mere radicals, as the Chinese and others, modifications of these radicals and accessory ideas are necessarily overlooked, or expressed by awkward circumlocutions; there is consequently much room for ambiguity and obscurity, as the connecting links must be guessed at, the radical idea being all that such imperfect

languages are capable of rendering until modified by the arbitrary forms of expression which are the accessories of every polished language.

The value is obvious of *short sentences* for conveying knowledge to foreigners of every class, because they are easily transposable into another idiom; while it is evident that such sentences should be composed of nouns, of adjectives easy to be understood, and of verbs expressive of sensible actions. The same observation is almost wholly applicable to an ignorant population at home. It is also evident that in both cases the subjects chosen for lessons should be those with which the learners possess some acquaintance, as the objects around them, the body and its parts, food, clothing, habitations, animals, vegetables and minerals, the countries of the earth, the heavenly bodies, laws of a country, government, arrangements of social life, arts, &c. It is advantageous too in all early teaching that the same ground should be gone over again with varying expressions, longer sentences, more knowledge; and even again repeated in still more copious and fluent language, communicating higher degrees of intelligence on the same subjects; and this is the course the Circle of Knowledge is designed to accomplish.

Provided the natives of India are taught through the English language, the short sentences of Gradation I. will aid them in its acquisition. If they are taught in their native languages, short sentences are more easily convertible into them than long ones. If it is desirable to eradicate their false notions on Physical Science, these lessons present an easy mode of doing so, and instilling correct ones, which will grow and strengthen in after years. The 24th section "On the Attributes of God," cannot be considered as going beyond the neutrality on religious matters, which seems desirable.

From the interest which your Lordship has always evinced for the universal education of the children of England, a happy omen may be drawn for those of India, and I trust you will not consider your time wholly lost, if you do me honor to read this letter, and direct the books to be examined with reference to the object proposed.

Printed copies of this letter, together with six sets of the books are this day forwarded, under the impression that your Lordship may think proper to submit both the books and the letter to parties of experience in educational matters connected with India.

THE TWENTY-FOUR SECTIONS OF THE CIRCLE OF KNOWLEDGE, ARE:—

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| 1. Introductory—Objects | 13. Of Substances. |
| 2. The Body and its Parts. | 14. The Air and the Heavens. |
| 3. Of Food. | 15. Of Time. |
| 4. Of Clothing. | 16. Of Climates, &c. |
| 5. Of Habitations, &c. | 17. Of Social Life. |
| 6. Of Education, &c. | 18. Of Government. |
| 7. The Mammalia. | 19. Of Other Nations. |
| 8. Of Birds. | 20. Of Trade and Commerce. |
| 9. Of Reptiles and Fishes. | 21. Of Matter. |
| 10. Of Insects and Worms. | 22. Of The Mechanical Powers. |
| 11. Of Plants. | 23. Of The Senses. |
| 12. Of the Earth. | 24. Attributes of God. |

(True copy)

Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 72.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 12th February 1859.

EDUCATION. SIR,

I AM directed by the Lieutenant-Governor to forward to you a copy of a letter No. 253, dated the 2nd instant, from the Under-Secretary to the Government of India, in the Home Department, and of a Despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, together with three copies of the Elementary Reading Books therein referred to, and to request that you will be so good as to report whether these works would be useful in the Government Schools in the Lower Provinces, and whether they contain any matter to make their adoption as class books inexpedient.

2. The return of the books is requested with your reply.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Chas. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Three Copies

W. G. S.

Director of Public Instruction

No 629

Public Contract
of the College
Presidency College
at Wells on date 27th of March

Sir

The enclosed copy of the
Circular and other documents have been

- x No. 2212 date 27th August 1838
- 2156 - - - 25th - - - -
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- 2694 - - - 30th October - -
- 2833 - - - 17th November -
- 210 - - - 11th February 1839
- 237 - - - 12th - - - -
- 441 - - - 7th March - - -
- 410 - - - 7th - - - -
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to furnish me with the
question at your earliest convenience
careful attention is paid to the
in the Circular

Yours
W. D. ...

W. D.

N. 622

Secretary to the Government of Bengal
Fort William dated 20th March 1854

Official Business Secretary
to the Government of Bengal
Fort William dated 20th March 1854

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith copy of letter No 302 of yesterday's date from the Principal of the Presidency College and to recommend the reappointment of Mr. [Name] as an Assistant Professor of [Subject] hence to the end of the present [Term] [Date]. Mr. [Name] will be requested to furnish a Statement of the lectures for the entire [Term] until December next, which Statement will be forwarded to Government when received.

I am, Sir,
Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
[Signature]

N. 623

Copy forwarded to the Principal of the Presidency College with reference to his letter No 302 of yesterday's date and with a request that he

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W. H. Mitchell Esq.

Principal, Trinity College

Sir,

I have the honor to report on the examination of the students of the Law department remaining in College as follows:

Of the first year or class 28 students were examined on the 15th of March, upon the questions proposed. Of these

I regret to say, I feel compelled to reject 9, as unfit to proceed to the duties of the 2nd class and Year. Their answers evinced a culpable ignorance or a manifest disregard

Of the remaining 19, I deem it necessary to be mentioned with praise, as evincing by their answers more than average diligence and accuracy. Some names are

course of the degree, but of the kind of knowledge
 (the more critical knowledge) for our
 purpose, that of many educated English
 gentlemen) of standard English writers,
 they may be able to handle with tolerable
 skill the Latin and Greek compounds of the
 English language, and yet they neither think
 in English nor can write a pure English style.

To reason therefore, in English,
 upon a strictly philosophical subject - to
 be analytical, logical, intelligible, when
 expounding and illustrating the great
 truths and principles of jurisprudence,
 would seem, to such an one, an almost
 impossible task. The men above named
 have to a considerable extent overcome
 the difficulty.

The repeated examples to are

Barron's Review 183 Jan 30

Harvard under letter 130-5

Journal of the American Rose 100

or occasional lect[ures] examinations
adapted to them above, which they
shall be required to attend in addition
to those of the year and class in
which they are retained respectively.

Calcutta
the
28th March
1859.

I have the honor, to be
Sir,
Your most obed^t serv^t

B. A. K. [Signature]

From the Hon. Secy of the East Bengal

Principal of the Presidency College
Calcutta
28 Dec^r 1858

I have the honor to inform you that
I have awarded L. Sanyal a place
as a student of the Khoolna Government
Vernacular School one of the
Scholarships sanctioned by Government
for the encouragement of the class
of schools, and should feel obliged
if you would admit him as a
Free Student for the term of one year
at the Lakhnath School.

I have the honor to be
Your obedient servant
A. Woodhouse
Inspector of Schools

1st 5 April 1859

Law Department

Programme of lectures

Term 1859-60

9 to 10 1/2 A.M.

	<u>class</u>	<u>subject</u>	<u>lecturer</u>
Monday	2d. and 3d.	Evidence	Mr. Keble
Tuesday	1st	Jurisprudence	Mr. Keble
Wednesday	3d.	Contracts	Mr. Keble
Thursday	2d.	Roman law	Mr. Keble
Friday	1st	Jurisprudence	Mr. Keble

The 3d class are requested to attend in Mr Keble's chambers every Saturday morning at 11 o'clock for instruction in the principles of law

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*Received
1st April 1859*

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No. 842

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

To

The Director General of Public Works

Fort William, the 2nd March 1859.

P. Works,
General.

SIR,

WITH reference to paragraph 10, page 4, of the supplement, up to 1st November 1858, to the Code of Regulations for the Public Works Department (which is obtainable at the Booksellers) I am directed by the Lieutenant-Governor to forward to you a copy of two Circulars Nos. 67 and 70 of the 31st January last, together with a copy of the printed Rules adverted to therein.

2. With reference to paragraphs 3 and 4 of the above Circular No. 70, you will be good enough to adopt the necessary measures at once for transmission direct to the Chief Engineer of a monthly Return (beginning from 1st January 1859) connected with your Department in the same form as that prescribed in the letter No. 500 of the 31st January last, to the address of the Commissioners, of which a copy is annexed.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. Buckland

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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CIRCULAR.

No. 70.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO ALL JUDGES, COLLECTORS AND MAGISTRATES, AND OFFICERS

HOLDING SIMILAR APPOINTMENTS, UNDER THE GOVERNMENT OF
BENGAL.

Fort William, the 31st January 1859.

P. WORKS,
General.

SIR,

THE Government of India in the Public Works Department has determined that, in order to afford a sufficient check over the expenditure of Government money under the designation of "*Public Works*" undertaken by Civil District Officers *without the interference of the Officers of the Chief Engineer's Department*, all charges of this nature shall be supported in the accounts by Bills properly audited for items amounting to Rupees (500) five hundred by the Commissioners, and for sums exceeding that amount by the Chief Engineer, Lower Provinces; and also that, in order to concentrate the expenditure on account of Petty Works costing less than Rupees (1,000) one thousand each, a monthly report should be made to the Government of India of such works undertaken and sanctioned by the different Authorities competent to pass them.

2. I am therefore directed by the Lieutenant-Governor to request, with special reference to the power vested in you by Paragraph 2 Section II Chapter IV of the Rules forwarded to you with my separate Circular No. 67, of this day's date, that you will in future forward all Bills for "*Public Works*" *undertaken by you*, within the extent of those powers, or with the sanction of higher authority, to the Commissioner of the Division within which you are situated, in all cases where the amount does not exceed five hundred Rupees, and to the Chief Engineer in all cases where the amount is above five hundred Rupees. You will understand, however, that these orders do not apply to any work within the power of a Civil Officer or higher authority to sanction which is *executed by the Department of Public Works*; as in such cases the Officer of that Department who does the work will obtain audit to the charge in the usual way from his superior, the Chief Engineer.

3. The Chief Engineer has been desired to submit to this Government, in a complete form beginning from the 1st of January 1859, the monthly report required by the Government of India as above indicated; and with this view and with special reference to Section V of Paragraph 4 Page 10, and Section III of Paragraph 16 Page 15, of the printed Rules in question, the Lieutenant-Governor

Also requests that you will, as soon after the close of each month as possible, forward to the Chief Engineer a monthly report in a tabular form of all "Public Works" undertaken by you as described herein, showing first the authority and date under which it is commenced or finished (as the case may be), on an Estimate or otherwise, secondly—its nature, thirdly its cost, and fourthly the circumstances which rendered it necessary. From these reports (which should be submitted to the Chief Engineer a condensed return to be made direct to the Government) will be required to be submitted monthly return of all Petty Public Works.

4. Should there be no items which require to be entered in your Report for any month, you will be good enough to forward a blank form for that month.

5. It has already been decided by the Lieutenant-Governor that the submission of charges which may thus receive the audit of a Commissioner (or Officer holding an analogous post), or of the Chief Engineer, the audit of the Bill by the Civil Auditor also is not necessary and is to be dispensed with in future.

6. The Inspector General of Jails, Lower Provinces, of course takes the place of Commissioners in all matters relating to works in Jails.

7. These orders are in no way applicable to Ferry or any other Local Funds.

8. A copy of this Circular will be forwarded to all Commissioners or Officers holding an analogous position, and to the Inspector General of Jails for his guidance in connection with the administration of his Department.

9. It is hereby requested that Magistrates will be good enough to acquaint Chaplains, wherever necessary, with these orders, and to direct them to forward for audit to the Commissioner any item of Public Works charge which may be incurred by them with reference to Section II Page 8. of the Rules.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. T. BUCKLAND,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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No. 100.

FROM C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq.,

Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF

Fort William, the 31st January 1859.

P. WORKS,
General.

SIR,

IN continuation of my letter No. of the 7th June last, I am directed by the Lieutenant-Governor to forward, for your information and guidance, the accompanying printed copy of a Circular No. 70, of this day's date, addressed to all Judges, Collectors, and Magistrates, and Officers holding similar appointments, under this Government.

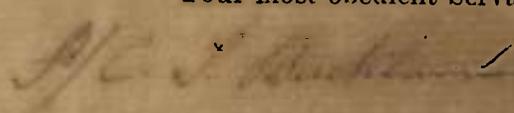
2. With reference to paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Circular in question, you are requested to submit direct to the Chief Engineer's Office, with due regularity, the Returns which you are required to prepare from the Reports which the Lieutenant-Governor, as you will observe, has directed the Judges, Magistrates and Collectors, and all Officers holding similar appointments, within your jurisdiction, to furnish you with every month.

3. The Return required from you should be prepared in the annexed form.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,



Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RETURN of Public Works' Charges incurred by Civil Officers in the Division in the month of

District.	Sustaining Officer who also does the work.	Authority for the work, and whether undertaken in Excess or not.	Data under which remuneration or fee paid.	Nature of work.	Cost.	Circumstances which involved work (summary).	REMARKS BY COMMISSIONER.

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J. R.

*Received
27th March 1859*

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From

R. B. CHAPMAN, Esquire,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India,

To

C. T. BUCKLAND, Esquire,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SIR,

Dated Council Chamber, the 18th March 1859.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 99, dated the 23rd ultimo, and to inform you in reply that His Excellency the Governor General in Council declines to entertain the proposal for pensioning Professors of Colleges on retirement after 15 and 22 years' service.

I have the honor to be,
SIR,
Your most obedient servant,

R. B. Chapman

Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

*N^o 665
(Circular)*

Copy forwarded to the Principal Presidency College

information

*Govt. William
The 21 April '59*

W.C.

W. J. ...

Director of Public Instruction

The Honble the Lord Chamberlain
 His Majesty's Household
 Whitehall
 1st April 1707

Sir,

With reference to your Certificate dated the 1st of this month to the Bills on account of the Duties on Premises at 28 Collier Square, I am the favor of your acquainting you of the said Premises their valuation as made by the Assessor and of the same to enable me to deliver the same above alluded to which I cannot do unless I am acquainted with the valuation of the Premises as you are aware, it bears a due proportion to the House and is to be leviable on the Premises.

I have the honor to be
 Sir
 Your most Obedient
 W. T. Salmons
 Clerk and Secy.

Presidency College

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Law course for the session 1859.

1st Year - Jurisprudence

2nd Year - Roman Law, Evidence, Criminal Law, Contracts.

3rd Year - Contracts, English Criminal Law, English Law, Civil and Criminal.

Presidency College
The 7th April 1859

Signed J. L. L. L.
Principal

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Public Institution
St. William's College

St. William dated 9th April 1839

Sir,
I have the honor to inform you of the following award of prizes which has been made to the Students of the Hindu and Mohammedan Schools

Names	Prizes	Subjects	Remarks
<u>Hindu School</u>			
Rajit Nath Roy	10	Latin	First Prize
Andhra Nath Roy	10	Latin	Second Prize
Dumoult Roy	10	Latin	Third Prize
Chandrasekar	10	Latin	Fourth Prize
<u>Mohammedan School</u>			
Gyan Prasad	8	Arabic	First Prize
Shahabuddin	8	Arabic	Second Prize

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the date subsequent ...
which the ...
College

I have the honor
to ...
Your most obedient

Wm. D. Johnson
Director of Public Instruction.

My dear
 I received your letter of the 16th
 informing you that the name
 made by the father of the
 premises a certain number of
 Presidency College as in 1850
 herewith.
 I am very truly
 Yours
 Monaghan

11th April 1857

James Monaghan

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th inst. and with reference to the 2d paragraph therein that although there can of course be no objection to the Professors in that Department occasionally devoting some of their time to the regular and prescribed lectures & the instruction of the Cadets who have failed to pass through other classes in that Line Classes, I nevertheless agree with you that such extra instruction should not be formally authorized as a part of the College routine.

I am, Sir,
 Your most obedient servant,
 James Fenwick
 President of the College

No. 162.

FROM E. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq.,

Offg. Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Fort William, the 29th March 1859.

Education.

SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorandum No. 567, of the 23rd instant, and to inform you in reply that, with reference to the Medical Certificate submitted, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant Dr. H. Halleur, Professor of Natural Philosophy and Astronomy in the Presidency College, twelve months' leave of absence under Clause 2, Section V of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules.

2. You will be so good as to furnish Dr. Halleur with a copy of this letter with a request that he will forward the same immediately on his arrival in England to the Under-Secretary of State for India, as also a Certificate of the date of the sailing of the Vessel on which he embarks.

3. Dr. Halleur's attention should also be requested to the Notification of the Financial Department, dated 7th August 1857, No. 34, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, page 1275, under which it is necessary before he embarks, that he should obtain a Certificate of the nature indicated therein from the Civil Auditor for delivery to the Home Authorities.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

E. H. Lushington
Offg. Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Handwritten text on a brown paper insert, possibly a letter or document. The text is written in cursive and is mostly illegible due to fading and the texture of the paper. Some words are faintly visible, including "London" and "the" in the upper right section, and "the" and "the" in the lower left section. There are also some numbers and symbols scattered throughout the text.

Hon. C. M. Washington Esq
 Secy of the Board of Government Affairs
 Washington
 Hon. J. M. McKim Esq
 Prof of Law and Jurisprudence
 Presidency College
 Fort Williams, the 8th April 1858

General
 Education Sir,

In continuation of the letter No. 278
 of the 18th March 1858 I have the honor
 to inform you that the Government has
 pleasure to extend your appointment as
 Professor of Law and Jurisprudence
 Presidency College to the end of the present
 (Colonial) year

I have the honor
 to be, Sir, your obedient servant
 C. M. Washington
 Secy of the Board of Government Affairs

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Copy of the above letter forwarded to the
 Secretary of Public Instruction for information
 with reference to his letter No. 122, dated the 1st
 March 1858
 Fort Williams, the 8th April 1858
 C. M. Washington
 Secy of the Board of Government Affairs

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Copy forwarded to the President
College for information and reference
Letter No 202 of the 17th

Fort William 9
the 15th April 1793
W. Adams Young
Director of Sub. Mts.

Account of
18 April 1859

Director of Public Instruction
to Mr. Jeffrey Esq. B.A.
Principal Presidency College
Madras 11th April 1859.

Sir

I have the honor to subjoin for your information and guidance a list of the pupils of Zillah Schools to whom Junior Scholarships have been awarded tenable at the Presidency College. The date of allowance is to be drawn in each case from the 1st Instant or from the date subsequent thereto on which the scholarship holder may join or may have joined his college.

I have the honor to be
Your most obedient
servant
Director of Pub. Instruction

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For what period awarded

Name	Per month	For what period awarded
<u>Barasat School</u>		
Omerto lall	10	2 ^o
<u>Cotocpore School</u>		
Nobin kishore Mookerjee	10	2 ^o
<u>Barasat School</u>		
Kally kishore Banerjee	10	2 ^o
<u>Hooghly Collegiate School</u>		
Chunder Sekhore Ganguly	10	2 ^o
Debenbro lall Bose	10	2 ^o
Neelamber Banerjee	10	2 ^o
Khetter Mohan Ray	8	2 ^o
<u>Gyach School</u>		
Joy Gopal Singh	10	2 ^o
<u>Sarun School</u>		
Abdul Quadir	10	2 ^o
<u>Bhangulpoore School</u>		
Chuckerdhan Bose	10	2 ^o
Taruna Prasad	8	2 ^o
<u>Beerbhoom School</u>		
Sainda prasad Ganguly	10	2 ^o
Sreekrishna Mookerjee	8	2 ^o

Amount for what
 has been provided
 awarded

Commillich School

Mohammed Mohan Buntla		Two Sepia
Tamprasanna Mochjee	8	D.

Calcutta Madrasa

Ali Hafiz	✓	8.	D.
Muhammed Tein	✓	8.	D.
Godentallah	has paid vide 279 letter 4800 <small>Inter 2048000</small>	8	D.

Chessore School

Suboll Bose		10	D.
Amant Banerjee	founder	8.	D.
Prosand Bose		8.	D.

Wm. Young

Director of Public Instruction

27/10/00

Wishes to be transferred to Junior Scholarship to be an
assistant to enhance at the California University from the High
Department of the California University to the Presidency College

No.	Name	Age	Sex	Parent	Occupation	Legal	Address
1	John Smith	17	Male	John Smith, Proprietor	Merchant	Gold	123 Main St.
2	John Doe	14	Male	John Doe, Farmer	Farmer	Gold	456 Oak St.
3	William White	15	Male	William White, Doctor	Doctor	Gold	789 Pine St.
4	John Brown	20	Male	John Brown, Merchant	Merchant	Gold	1011 Elm St.

John Doe
Secretary

Mr. Robert [unclear]
Professor of Law and
President of the
Faculty of the [unclear]

of the [unclear] M. A.
University of the [unclear]

Sir [unclear] the [unclear]

I have examined [unclear]
Note the student who was presented by
[unclear] attending the examination of the
1st year class

I annex copy of the questions
to him. His answers [unclear] the
court to enable him to be registered in
the 2nd class of the [unclear] [unclear]
accordingly be ranked with the [unclear]
examinants of the 1st year

I have the honor to be

Yours most obed^t servant

R. M. [unclear]

Professor of Law
and President of the
Faculty of the [unclear]

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Scorpio

I have been the
duplicate of the boy who was absent
when the others were sent, he has
been sick and has been
unable to come to school. He
is one of those whose names
were sent up to you when the
fess were sent who was absent
at the time. His name is
near the end of the list of those
names

Very truly
yours
Wm. C. Buff

To
J. Sublime Esq
Principal, Presidency College

With reference to past communi-
cations (written oral or semi-official) between
the Director of Public Instruction and myself
upon the matter and suggestions contained
in this letter, I now beg to address you officially
for the Director's information.

The Supreme Government, by their
letter of the 24th July 1857 (giving a modified
sanction to the Scheme of Law education
recommended by the Government of Bengal)
did allow the salary of Rs 400 per m for an
Professor of Law which that Scheme proposed
But up to that date there never has been
an Assistant Professor of Law. Mr Beaupre
was then Professor of Municipal Law and
Mr Grapel Professor of Jurisprudence. The
salary of the former office when not held
ex-officio (as in Mr Beaupre's case) was
Rs 500.

Under that letter the present system
or Scheme was organized by a regular three
year's course of systematic study and
as existing means and appliances have
permitted.

collocation of papers being the mode of paper
to be used and printed.

I have now had to call for a
further staff and want, and I therefore
think of my duty especially to suggest and
recommend that the office held by Mr
Horsburgh be made permanent. This is a
purely administrative arrangement and
appears to me a mere application of the
discretion and means placed at disposal
of his Honor the Lieut. Governor by the Supreme
Government.

It is obvious that a curriculum for
study, one (perhaps the main) object of which
is to qualify for the University of St. Xavier,
must include a constant laboratory and a
course of English - law lectures. It is only an English
law paper over a large portion of the heads on
subject of Examination, but a knowledge of
English law is essential duty to appreciate to
apply even to comprehend the law and practice
of the country or Madras Courts. The Professor
takes jurisprudence and the specialties of the
Madras law as his peculiar province, occa-
sionally lecturing if need be and examining
in English law also.

Now that being so I see no advantage
in retaining the professional character of
the office of English law lecturer, and suggest

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Hendon School 18th April 1859

Sir In reference to the item marked * in the Contingency bill for February last, which has been objected to by the first Auditor I beg to state that it was the practice to provide umbrellas for the school teachers before I was appointed. I found them in use when I joined. I presume they were intended for the use of the Principal and Headmaster when they had occasion to pass from one building to another in the course of their duties of superintending the various classes. I always used them for this. I bought a pair last season which were not objected to. These were dearer because they are of better material than wood instead of iron staff (thinking it more economical to get them so) and besides the price of such articles is much increased this season.

I have the honour to be

Sir
Your most obed^t Serv^t
Wm. Widdell

Wm. Widdell
Hendon College

Director of Public Instruction

John W. Esquire, M.A.
Principal, Presidency College
Fort William dated 14th April 1859

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the 16th of
current and in reply to authorize you to lend
books from the College Library to the Teachers of
the Hindoo school and College of that Board
School under the usual restrictions and condi-
tions.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedt Servt

Wm. Murray

Director of Public Instruction

His Excellency, the British
Secretary to the Government of India,
Military Department (N 1493)

is requested to be so good as to forward
the enclosed information

to His Excellency, the British
Secretary to the Government of India,
Military Department.

So.

The officiating Deputy Adjutant General of
Her Majesty's Forces.

Sir,

As the continued occupation of the
wards of the Medical College Hospital by the sick
of European Troops presents very heavily on the
Institutions, and it appearing to Government
that these wards may now be secured without
inconvenience to their original uses, it was
desired to request that no more sick be involved
may be sent to the Medical College Hospital,
and that the Garrison, Lower Cophouah and
and Hindoo College Hospitals may be held in
readiness to receive their full complement of pa-
tients, those remaining in the Medical College
Hospital being distributed among the other
Hospitals

Hospitals as soon as possible
- ticables -

N^o 569
Copy of the above letter
the Director General of the Department of
ment of information

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor
of Bengal
Fort William, (S^d) R. H. Lushington
The 7th April 1859 } Offy Junior Secretary to the
Government of Bengal

(True Copy)
(S^d) J. Jones
Registrar Bengal Secretariat

N^o 793
Copy forwarded to the Principal Presidency
College for information with reference to his letter
N^o 301 of the 26th ultimo. -
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Fort William
The 30th April 1859 }
Director of Public Instruction

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FROM E. H. ~~STANTON~~ ANGTON, Esq.,

Offg. Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Education.

Fort William, the 7th April 1869.

SIR,

I AM directed by the Lieutenant-Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your Office communication No. 612, dated the 28th ultimo, and in reply to forward herewith a copy of a letter* addressed by the Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department, to the Officiating Deputy Adjutant General of Her Majesty's Forces, from which you will observe that the Presidency College Building will not at present be vacated by the Military Authorities.

* No. 1492, dated 31st March 1869.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

[Handwritten Signature]
Offg. Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

To the Hon. Secy of the Insurrection

Subsecy of the Insurrection
Present
H. S. Pritchard
J. H. Wilton
S. S. S. S.
C. P. S. S.
Judges &
S. S. S. S.
S. S. S. S.

In reference to your letter of the 15th of the 11th inst. I am directed by the Court to forward to you a copy of a circular now in course of issue to Court Judges.

For William
The 15th April 1833

I have
Wm. H. P. S.

quintessence (copy)
add to circular
etc

of the Court

The Court Judge on the
S. S. S. S.

Subsecy of the Insurrection
Present
H. S. Pritchard
J. H. Wilton
S. S. S. S.
C. P. S. S.
Judges &
S. S. S. S.
S. S. S. S.

In confirmation of the circular of the 15th dated the 15th January last I am directed by the Court to inform you that the holder of a Law Degree from the University of Cambridge is qualified

as well as a holder of the Diploma from the
Residency College, as a Member in the
Sudder Court, and in the Courts of the
Judge and Principal. I have presented
myself with the necessary qualifications
at the Sudder Court and for the purpose of

Fort William
the 15th April 1893

M. A. M. Duffell
Register

(True Copy)
M. A. M. Duffell
Register

N^o 845

Copy forwarded to the Principal Residency
College for information with reference to his letter
N^o 296 of the 7th ultimo.

James Lawrence

Fort William
the 20th April 1893

Director of Public Instruction

No

The Principal of the
Presidency College

Sir

I have the honor to introduce
to you the 'teachers, Purush Chandra Roy
and Gopal Dasgupta, students of the Bandwan
Maharaja's School, who have been allowed
to hold their scholarships at the Presidency
College by the last Sanshodhanik
Examination.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient Servant
Wimsh Chandra Dasgupta
Head master, Bandwan
Maharaja's School

Bandwan)
the 21st April)
1893

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Director of Public Instruction

Mr. Douglas Ross Esq
Principal Hooghly College

Post Office dated 21st April 1889

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter N^o 58 of the 19th current
and in reply to sanction the scholarship awarded
to ^{the} Letter Mohun Roy to the ^{late} as per margin being held
and Nalamber Panigrahi in the Hooghly instead of in the Presidency
College and to direct that in consideration of
the inconvenience occasioned by their excitation,
their scholarship stipends for two months be
forfeited.

I am
Yours faithfully
S. Gordon Young
Director of Public Instruction

Copy forwarded to the Principal Hooghly
College for information with reference to this office
letter N^o 783 dated 8 current.

Post Office
the 26th April/89

Signature of S. Gordon Young
Director of Public Instruction

I have the honor to acknowledge

To His Excellency the Governor
The Director of Public Instruction

Sub. W. A. L. S.
Principals Calcutta Madrasa
Mr. William 25th April 1859.

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your Letter No. 208 of yesterday's date
and in reply to sanction the Scholarship
awarded to Calcutta to be being held in the Madras
instead of in the Presidency College and to
direct that, in consideration of the inconvenience
occasioned by his vacillation, his Scholarship
should be for two months longer.

I have, &c.
W. Gordon Young
Director of Pub. Instruction

No. 86

Copy forwarded to the Principals of the
Presidency College for information with reference
to this office communication No. 23 dated 11th March

Mr. William 25th April 1859
Aff. Secy of Pub. Inst.

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Thursday	Gen 2 + 4/12/18		Gen 2		
Friday	Alpha 1/2/18		Gen 2		
Saturday	Alpha 1/2/18		Gen 2		

27 April 1857

From

The Secretary to the Local Committee of
Public Instruction

The Principal of the Presidency College

Jefferson School, April 23rd 1861

This will be delivered to you by
Anghore. Nault Baccijer who has gained a
Junior Scholarship tenable at the Presidency
College.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obt^l Serv^t

W. C. C.

Sec^y L. C. P. I.

[Faint vertical text on the left margin, possibly bleed-through or a list of names]

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From The Inspector of Schools East Bengal.

To The Principal of the Presidency College,
 Jessore The 20th April 1887.

I have the honor to inform you that
 the post of the Mastership of Barrackpore is vacant,
 salary Rs 15 --- some students prefer a small sum
 near home to a larger one a distance.

I beg to know if you can recommend me any good
 student who would glad of the post. I have recom-
 =mended that the salary be increased to Rs 20 ---
 and as the school does not cost the Education
 Department a pice, I hope that the application
 may be granted. Still till it is granted, I
 cannot guarantee the higher salary.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your obedient servant

A. C. M. S.
 Inspector of Schools

St. Michael's College
(London)
From
The Director of Public Instruction

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th January 1909

in relation to the proposed change in the period of vacation of the University of Cambridge, and in view of the importance of the interest of the Board of Education and with the view of facilitating the arrangements the Government has directed the Board of Education to direct the Colleges for the University of Cambridge and the College Schools, in place of the present five days vacation in April and the two days at the end of the year, to have a vacation of five days in April and a second vacation of five days at Christmas immediately after the conclusion of the University Entrance Examination.

The other holidays will remain as at present authorized that is as specified in the Statute of 1862.

Minutes of the Board of Education N. 13. dated
September 10th 1851.

George Peckham _____ 15 days

Suggat Abbot _____ 1

Samuel Smith _____ 1

Good Friday _____ 1

Second Sabbath _____ 1

The Academic year in future years
be considered to commence at the conclusion
of the longest vacation in January of each year.

With a view to comparing the new
system with the old, it will be
proper that the next year the
taken from the system of 1848, and
you will be good enough to notify the same
accordingly to them. The next session
will then extend from the 1st of
December next, and the following session will
commence on the 1st of January next, so that
the summer vacation may properly
begin during the latter half of next year.

The above orders do not apply at present
at all events to the Oriental or Professional
Colleges, nor to the Zillah Schools. They apply
however